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# NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

## Governor Signs First Street Extension Resolve—Fight on Hospital Funds

BOSTON, May 1.—Gov. David I. Walsh has signed the resolve providing for a report by the highway commission as to the advisability of extending the state highway along the northern bank of the Merrimack river in the city of Lowell and the town of Dracut, and the measure will become operative on June 1.

The resolve was drafted by the joint legislative committee on roads and bridges from a petition submitted by Senator George E. Murchand and another from Lowell that provision be made for improving a highway along the bank of the river. The resolve was reported favorably by the house committee on ways and means and it slid through both branches with but little opposition.

### Funds For Hospital

Pros and cons on the matter of funds for state institutions developed one of the hottest verbal battles of the year in the lower branch of the legislature. The debate came on adverse reports of the committee on ways and means—the "Watchdog of the Treasury"—on several resolves for improvements in such institutions. But the big storm broke when the resolve for appropriations for the Boston State hospital was reached. The bill was finally postponed until Monday in order that it might be printed, but not until it had furnished several sorts of excitement.

Hill of Great Barrington, defended the report that the resolve he referred to the next general court. He said the governor made it clear last year that he will not permit institutional improvements which will greatly increase the state tax, and every such bill which was passed by the legislature was vetoed by the governor. It is already apparent that the state tax is going to be higher than last year, he suggested. Greenwood of Everett attacked the

amendments to the resolve for a special commission to revise and codify the laws relating to highways.

### Western Highways Bill

The bill to authorize loans to the amount of \$2,000,000 for the laying out and construction of highways in the western counties in Massachusetts was ordered to a third reading in the senate without debate or division.

The senate, without debate, passed to a third reading the flag bill which the house substituted, for Senator Hearn's Harvard flag bill. This bill simply repeats the act of 1913 and leaves no box on the display of the flag of the I. W. W.

### To Reorganize Militia

A message was received in the senate from Governor Walsh transmitting from Adjutant-General Cole two bills for reorganization of the land and naval forces of the commonwealth as recommended by a military board consisting of the judge advocate general and officers of the inspector general's department. The proposed changes are considered necessary to secure conformity in all cases with the requirements of the war department and the federal laws and to correct inconsistencies in existing legislation. The proposed bills will confer upon the commander-in-chief authority now lacking to fill the new positions in the naval militia in conformity with the requirements of the national naval militia act approved by the president on Feb. 1, 1914.

## ARE GETTING TOGETHER

### REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE IS PLANNING BIG OUTING AT BUNTING PARK IN JULY

The ways and means committee appointed by the republican city committee at its last meeting to make arrangements for the mammoth outing and gathering of republicans of this city and surrounding towns, to be held at Bunting park on July 10, held an important meeting at headquarters last night with chairman Horton H. Hilton as presiding officer. Despite the inclement weather, 15 members of this committee were in attendance and word was received from the other five members of their inability to attend. Various sub-committees were appointed. Those present last night were very enthusiastic over the prospect of making the affair a big success. The secretary was requested to invite republicans of the surrounding towns to send representatives to the next meeting. Senators Lodge and Weeks, Congressman John J. Rogers and candidates for governor and lieutenant governor will be invited and will be given an opportunity of meeting the voters of this district.

Besides the speaking there will be other attractions. The committee took under advisement several suggestions which it adopted, will be of great interest to all who attend. Several addresses were made last night by well known members who urged the necessity of awakening a renewed interest in the local ranks of the republican party and of getting together for the fall campaign. The committee desires to state that the coming gathering of republicans is not going to be held in the interests of any one candidate or set of candidates, but is for the purpose of "getting together." It was voted to call a meeting of all the merchants and manufacturers who believe that their prosperity depends a great deal upon republicans being elected to central national and state governments to meet the ways and means committee in the near future with the idea of getting all of the republicans in this district to attend the gathering on July 10.

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## THEY DO SAY

That even the mild eyed potato hates a masher.

That the tax collectors are kept busy these days.

That Huerta improves on closer acquaintance.

That School Committeeman Calise is some fisherman.

That white ways are becoming decidedly popular.

That anyway The Sun bowling team won the final game.

That politics is certainly a live issue at the South End club.

That the municipal council is rather addicted to site seeing.

That the patrons of a free feed are never in the minority.

That the fellow who lives without working is still with us.

That the water works isn't alone in the need of more aid.

That some people and some things are easy to do—sometimes.

That there is some fine musical talent at the Lowell high school.

That you are it, if a member of the tax committee gets you today.

That a ticket to charity is cheap enjoyment for a sore conscience.

That coming events and coming campaigns pass their shadows before.

That too many of us are saying at retail and spending at wholesale.

That Gotham street is again torn up for the continuation of the paving.

That the Bon Marche dancette was one of the peccolite of the season.

That no change has been made in the accounting system at city hall.

That short skirts make a woman look shorter and some men look longer.

That the pulmotor again proved its worth at New York the other day.

That the members of St. Joseph's college alumni will get busy next week.

That this is the day we must all do something for the sufferers in Ireland.

That Simon B. Harris allows the fish and game commission is on the tobacco.

That the Capital girls' baseball team is out to win the championship of the state.

That one who "lives infinitely with a cat" must find life one sweet song.

That council members don't require big excuses for automobile rides these days.

That the Lowell baseball association has a fine healthy looking secretary.

That spring out of doors and spring indoors are two entirely different propositions.

That no sort of kicking pays the kicker less than kicking against the weather.

That we may pray for what we want, but we have to hustle for what we get.

That the Gherens murder has been added to Lowell's long list of unsolved murders.

That some people are of the impression that there are too many houses at city hall.

That Jimmy and Dan are becoming well known around Walker street and Broadway.

That everybody at city hall has an auto but George Ryan, the patient elevator man.

That the last row grounds in Lowell are among the immaculatest of the country.

That a party of local women will open the deep sea fishing season next Wednesday.

That the Temple club's camp at Willow Lake was well inaugurated last Sunday evening.

That the rain has come in time to coast up the failure of the catch-up politicians.

That the boys of great men all remind us of the instant party we play in life.

That Charles Morse says he will keep the street covered if he has to use the sprinkling cans.

That Frank Maloney says these contractors will be changed or hell know the reason why.

That the business baseball teams are "scouting the field" in great style at the local ball parks.

That the New party at the Highland club promises to be one of the social events of the season.

That Mr. Henry Jones says the drought will give his place for a crop at the day farm.

That the formal opening of the American club's camp will be of a very elaborate nature.

That now is the time to get railroad maps and hotel booklets in plan for your summer vacation.

That the local chamber maintains that conductors should handle the tickets on the car springs.

That the new season has made another hit with the "Home" gas and oil proposition.

That these fellows that comes down serve a little about the smoothness of a performance.

That Tom Boyle says New how many friends he had until he put a little more careful next time.

That the boys are becoming disappointed in the Highlands, on the floor and the veranda alike.

That some local spoke talks would be more engaged if there was a smoke and more talk.

That the man who talks too much prays another and finally he expects to make much progress.

That local officials and some visiting notables are about to found a mutual admiration society.

That the parks of the water department are being in touch with those of the park commission.

That "Patience" as presented by the high school actors and actresses will prove cause to be a virtue.

That one of the patrons had a "hang-over" time in the superintendent's office a few evenings ago.

That Frank Connor says there are those who will ask for signs and no signs will be given them.

That the Broadway Social and Athletic club is making good progress as a new social organization.

That the mills of the city are fairly busy and the shoe shops have experienced a boom in business.

That Tom Boyle has purchased an automobile and while Markham is learning how to operate it.

That the pending the oiling of some streets it would be wise to use a little water to lay down the dust.

That a recent drowning accident showed the warnings to midnight fishermen to be more cautious.

That the most popular girl gets along with her best friends when she lands a desirable catch.

That John P. Roane, Jr. did wonder in short space in preparing for the K. of C. minstrel show.

That the residents of Maple street have petitioned Commissioner Morse to have that thoroughfare oilled.

That some club members will enjoy some sleep after May 1, for the club has this week closed at a move.

That Manager Ed Quinlan is confident that the local cops will cop the pennant in the police league.

That the girl you love, like time and tide, may not wait for you, so it behooves you to get a move on.

That the Lowell Fish and Game association has a most worthy president in the person of Simon B. Harris.

That there's a fine opening for a young man with plenty of patience in Morning Square at a traffic cop.

That Lowell has more than its share of eligible bachelors who seem to have discovered the fountain of youth.

That the Fairmount Campers will be at home to their friends at their new camp at Willow Dale this summer.

That while the baseball maniacs did not like yesterday's rain, the farmers, gardeners and alleged gardeners did.

That Connie Cronin plans to spring a few surprises on the prominent residents of Pawtucketville on May 12.

That evidently the two most present commissioners have learned a lesson of silence or the danger of imprudence.

That when young men shoot traps until the police get them they shouldn't expect the newspapers to shield them.

That the fire department of the suburban towns are hoping for a heavy shower so as to put a stop to the brush fires.

That Tom Kelly isn't an old man yet as he is enjoying winning some of the prize money in the bowling season just passed.

That the public is taking a crack at the municipal council for holding secret sessions in a variety of locations.

That the continued butcher has the most pronounced views on marriage and the old maid is emphatic in her views on children.

That the South common is a busy place at the moment as the games are in progress each day.

That when a girl is hovering on to and not acceptably, she may easily be a temptation for woman suffrage or almost anything.

That true to his reputation the weatherman gave us a down-pour on the opening day of the New England League season.

That the Sunday School teachers of the Sacred Heart church secured great success in their presentation of "Rebecca's Triumph."

That when it comes to secret conferences and behind meetings, the municipal council is beginning to imitate the school board.

That this is the season of the year when the thoughts of the fellow who whipped the foot springs in his youth turn to the old home.

That the most notable experiment of display advertising is the art work members her own silk petticoat when stepping on a street car.

That Assistant Agent Gilmore of the Insurance company is residing in the town since he has his large box in the rear of his automobile.

That the angel of death lingered on his recent visit to Pawtucketville, for well known residents responding to the call within a few days.

That the minstrel show and dance conducted by the Princeton club last evening was easily one of the leading social events of the season.

That with a small group that is, Morris Morrissey, who is, and that is, a new motto is a good one, that is, the loss of the Titanic.

That the two young men who ventured out in a canoe on last Sunday were still when a heavy rain will be a little more careful next time.

That Manager McGraw must see the writing on the wall when he is attempting to grab crack leaders from other teams and other leagues.

That the beautiful table presented to the dining room in the City Hotel is a most pleasant surprise.

That the residents of East Merrimack street may have the extension of the

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## WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

**MARIE ADVISES PLAIN CLOTHES**

"Oh dear, Marie," almost sobbed Marjorie. "My girl chum has such heaps of clothes and they cost so much and they are all covered with flowers and tucks and furbelows. I am so discouraged."

"You shouldn't be," comforted Marie. "Whether you have money or not it is a great mistake to overdress. There is an erroneous idea among a certain class that the well-dressed must be a walking advertisement of a dry goods store. It is a relic of barbarism that makes them take a savage delight in bedecking themselves, irrespective of the rulings of good taste in dress."

"The thin woman for my imagination," she will appear plump if she has a series of stripes wound round and round her. The very fat lady coddles the illusion that stripes crawling up her back give her that much-to-be-desired "clinging vine" effect."

"Now it is possible to be attractive whether one has much money or not. If one but shows a little common sense in the selection of the wardrobe. It is very necessary that one have at least three dresses, a tailored every-day suit, a best tailored costume, and an evening frock."

"Suits are so much worn these days

## ARE GETTING TOGETHER

that one need never feel out of place at any afternoon entertainment or at the theatre. The evening frock may be kept for more festive occasions. There are many pretty street suits that are up-to-date and yet show individuality. Take into consideration your size and color. A girl should always be tastefully and quietly groomed. Nothing looks worse than a lot of fussy clothes or bits of weary lace and ribbon."

"There is nothing sweeter, or more pleasing to the eye than white, or more the fresh crispness of it makes more color in the face and lips, giving an appearance of youthfulness to the skin, which solid color extinguishes."

"It doesn't pass, this trying to live up to the height of fashion. Why not be original, by dressing simply and in good taste, pulling aside the floss and feathers of the moment."

"It is within the means of every girl to be well dressed if she will but give the matter a little careful attention, if she will but consider her income, her environments, and her personality."

"Oh, thank you so much, Marie. You have made me feel contented and happy again," said Marjorie gratefully, as she dobed her eyes again and a pretty smile took the place of the woeful look she had worn.

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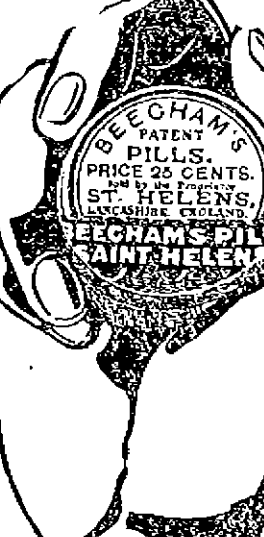
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## NOTICE OF HEARINGS

The Municipal Council of the City of Lowell will give hearings at the room, City Hall, Tuesday, May 1, 1915, at 11 o'clock a. m., on the following petitions:

**L. E. Weston**

For a license to conduct and maintain a garage, and to keep and sell gasoline in connection therewith, and from a tank (100 gal. capacity) located in the ground at premises, branch street.

**Hubert A. Girard**

For a license to conduct and maintain a garage, and to keep and sell gasoline in connection therewith, and from a tank (100 gal. capacity) located in the ground at premises, branch street.

**Clarkson H. Turner**

For a license to conduct and maintain a garage at premises on Per street.

**Pratt & Forrest Co.**

For a license to conduct and maintain a garage, and to keep and sell gasoline in connection therewith, and from a tank (100 gal. capacity) located in the ground at premises, branch street and School streets.

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## COE IS FOUND

Disappearance of Young  
Standard Oil Sales-  
man Solved

BOSTON, May 1.—Harry Clark Coe, Jr., the Standard Oil salesman, who mysteriously disappeared on Jan. 30, has been found. It is claimed, on the outskirts of Fairbanks, Alaska.

This announcement was made last night by Detective Robert Burns, who says Coe has been positively identified by a man who knew him in the east.

An operative of the Burns agency made the discovery more than a week ago, but the announcement was withheld until after Robert Burns had conferred with Coe's father, who came here from New York yesterday.

Coe is doing some light work, and as far as can be gathered from the scant messages, is in good mental health.

Dr. H. C. Coe, his father, however, has arranged with a Dr. Coe of Vancouver, U. S. Insanity expert for Alaska, to go to Fairbanks and see the young man. If it appears that he is normal, he will be brought back to Boston. Otherwise, he will be taken to some sanatorium.

The discovery bears out the state-

ment that Coe took a train for Montreal, and then started out west. He was traced across the country to Vancouver, from where he took a steamer to Alaska.

Coe's trip, it is said, was made in an abnormal condition of his mind. For some time before he left his home at 1200 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, he would become absorbed in an atlas or railroad time table. Maps also held much attraction for him, and he read with unusual interest "The Honor of the Big Show." It is now believed that this book influenced him in the direction he took.

The details of the trip and the nature of the work that Coe is doing, and the name of the man that made the identification in Alaska, have not been learned by Robert Burns.

"Tells are 32 cents a word from Fairbanks," he said, "and my man has not wired me any more than was necessary. But there is no question in my mind that the fellow under surveillance is Coe. The operative was very explicit in stating that the identification was positive."

**SUMMER SEASON**

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## PRESIDENT IN WRECK STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

MISHAP TO TRAIN WHILE PASS-  
ING THROUGH WEST PHILADEL-  
PHIA—NO ONE INJURED

NEW YORK, May 1.—President Wilson spent nearly three hours here this morning on his way to Philadelphia, Mass., to attend the christening of his grandson, Francis Sayre. He was joined here by Miss Margaret Wilson, his daughter, who has been spending several days in New York. Others in the party were Dr. Cary T. Grayson, the president's naval aid and physician, and Miss Helen Woodrow Bones, his cousin.

While the president's train was passing through West Philadelphia, early this morning, the airbrake on the engine jammed and the train came to a sudden stop. Several panes of glass were broken and a water bottle in the president's car fell to the floor with a crash. Everyone on the train was shaken, but no serious damage was done. The president will arrive in Williamstown at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

## LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY

The program that the Orchestral Society has selected for its third and last

**CONCERT TOMORROW AFTER-  
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Mme. Wilhelmina Wright-Calvert in Soprano Solos; also Mr. Mindt, Cello Solos.

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OF THE

Lowell Orchestral Society

WILL BE HELD

Sunday, May 2nd, at 3 P. M.

At Colonial Hall

The soloists for the concert are:

Mme. Wilhelmina Wright-Calvert,

Soprano Soloist; Mr. Frederick E.

Mindt, Violoncello Soloist. Tickets

50 cents to all parts of the hall.

## OWE THEATRE

MONDAY and TUESDAY

May 3 and 4

**NANCE O'NEIL**

In "KREUTZER SONATA"

## BOLT GOES THROUGH STREET CAR IN WOBURN, SPARKS AND SMOKE TERRORIZE PEOPLE

BOSTON, May 1.—The lightning, which accompanied a heavy thunder shower at noon yesterday, caused considerable damage in the suburbs of Boston. A bolt went through a Woburn-bound Stoughton car in Salem street, Woburn, and caused a panic among the 12 passengers when a shower of sparks was followed by a puff of smoke which filled the car. Nobody was injured.

A corner of a barn at 30 Mt. Pleasant street, Woburn, owned by Merrill A. Burns, was torn away by a bolt which struck the ridge pole and followed down one side. Although the bolt left a trail of fire, the barn did not catch fire.

The residence of Mrs. Mary J. Dowd, 919 Main street, Winchester, was struck and the lightning, after ripping off the top of a cupola, ruined the electric light wiring of the house and tore out parts of the plumbing. Mrs. Dowd had been in bed several days and was about the house for the first time yesterday. The lightning blew out an electric light fuse near a switch in her bedroom and sent a shower of sparks over the bed.

The lightning was freakish in Woburn. A bolt went down the chimney of the Miller piano factory and sent a shower of live coals over Engineer C. Lindsey, who was shovelling coal upon the fire in the engine room. He was knocked down and stunned. His son, Harry Lindsey, pulled him to one side and extinguished the fire which had started in his clothing.

An amateur wireless gaff on the roof of the residence of Palmer H. Southworth, 110 West Chestnut street, Wakefield, received a message from the clouds which ripped shingles and tore a large hole in the roof. There was no fire.

Several times between 12 and 1:30 o'clock the steel forest fire watch tower on Hart's hill, Wakefield, was struck and sent off showers of sparks. The town's electric light service was rendered useless for several hours.

The chimney on the house of Thatcher B. Streeter, 1494 Massachusetts avenue, Arlington Heights, was knocked down and shingles torn up. The lightning blew out fuses on electric light wires in several houses and put the service out of commission for some time.

Fuses were blown out of an elevated car at Adams Heights, by a heavy charge which probably followed along the trolley wire for some distance.

## SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE

In the three and one-half months that the Lowell Social Service League has been at work, it has touched the charitable and philanthropic work of the city at a surprising number of points.

In its work it has come into contact with 21 churches of the Protestant and 5 Catholic parishes. In dealing with children's problems, teachers in 14 of the public schools and four of the parochial schools have been consulted.

Problems of ill health have brought out the co-operation of one of our city's physicians. In its work with individual families, it has come into touch with most of the public charities of the city, the municipal court and several of the state's agencies, and also with two labor unions and 15 of the private societies. Including the hospitals which are interested in social betterment.

The problem of unemployment has brought it in contact with employers of labor including some of the largest of the city's mills, and many private individuals have shown their interest and given their advice. A number of town agencies have been consulted in Boston, Cambridge, Newburyport, Salem, Worcester, Lynn, New Bedford, Milton, Haverhill and Poughkeepsie.

Fifteen individuals have volunteered for work in friendly visits, the office, or other ways. Contrivance, the Highlands and Belvidere are represented among these volunteer helpers.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

**B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE**

The artistic draping of models furnishes one of the features of "The Fashion Shop," the musical comedy which will be undertaken at the B. F. Keith theatre next week, and none other than Hugo Jansen, one of the noted Paris modistes, will have the leading role to play. What his name implies, a fashion shop. When the great war broke out Jansen found every avenue of profit closed to him, and he came to America where the idea of putting a fashion shop on the stage appealed to him. He realized that he would be forced to work with rapidity, in order to hold his audiences, and he set about the cleverest of his art, reaching a surprising degree of deftness. The three beautiful models which he carries, and which remain intact, are outfitted in the very latest of fashions within a surprisingly brief period of time.

In order to make the act something more than a mere dramatic conceit, Mr. Jansen had to provide for comedy and for music. Blanche Latell, formerly comedienne with "Naughty Marietta," will be seen in the part of "Nance," the daughter of a countess who desires to learn how to dress. She is tall and angular, in marked contrast to the models who appear with her, and she is one of the cleverest comedienne on the stage today. Earl Corr, Broadway's rube comedian, has the part of "Hiram," "Nance's" while Maudie Barker is "Maudie," the sweethearts of "Alphonse," the designer, which role is carried by Hugo Jansen.

And just another word about the models. They possess differing lines, and one may tell from Mr. Jansen's attitudes what looks well on different persons. In the dressing of them the smallest details are worked out, and the finished result is as perfect as if it had been made with the aid of scissors, needles and thread. It is sometimes claimed that men designers are superior to women, and this would seem to be borne out by the wonderful work demonstrated by Mr. Jansen.

Aside from the fact that "The Five Violin Beauties" is an act of real feeling, there is one fact in common with its forthcoming production which should make it doubly a favorite. Miss

Ethel Sharrow, a Lowell young woman, who has made many friends here in past years through her charming personality and her wonderful ability, is the manager of this act, and one of its principal players. Five young women give a program which is attractive all the way through. One of the most striking portions of it shows the quintet of players in the garb of various nationalities, and the numbers they play savor of the races represented.

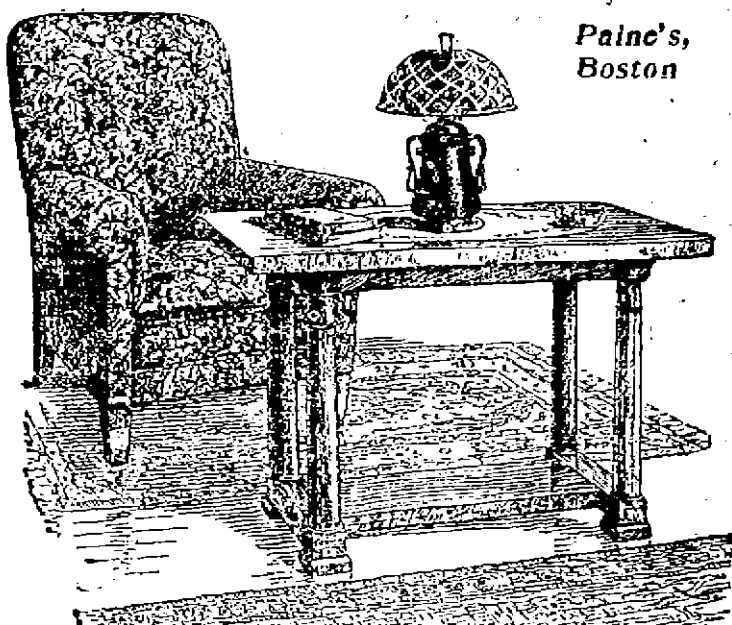
Daphne Lewis will be the Scotch girl, Mabelle Valeta the Dutch girl, Ethel Sharrow the Irish colleen, Miriam Glover the Spanish woman, and Babe Anderson the Turkish beauty. The program the five will give will be as follows: "In the Sunshine," the Five Beauties; "The Violin for Grand-Grandmother," Miss Valeta; "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," Miss Lewis; "The Beatles," Miss Anderson, and the finale, "The Beatles."

The comedy skit, "The Pixer," will be presented by Marion Buel & Co., and Milo, the tramp, who does about every-

thing, and is rated as one of the biggest hits in vaudeville, will surprise with his versatility. Hilton & Roberts sing and dance well, and Marius & Clements are singers of grand operatic numbers. The Musical Chef opens the show. It brings forth a music maker who can find melodies anywhere in an up-to-date kitchen. The bill will close with a Hearst-Selig News Reel. This will prove to be one of the best shows of the entire season, and tickets for all performances may be obtained in advance. The box office telephone is 28.

Tomorrow afternoon and night special Sunday features will be presented. They will include several excellent acts and five pictures.

Today's Owl Theatre is a splendid one. There is a great variety of subjects, with "The Judge's Wife" as a special feature. Coming Monday and Tuesday, Nance O'Neil in "The Kreut-



## Boston's Famous Furniture Store

The Paine Furniture Company, Boston, increased their volume of sales 25% over last year and 40% over the best preceding year, in spite of the epoch-making conditions in this and other countries.

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Daphne Lewis will be the Scotch girl, Mabelle Valeta the Dutch girl, Ethel Sharrow the Irish colleen, Miriam Glover the Spanish woman, and Babe Anderson the Turkish beauty. The program the five will give will be as follows: "In the Sunshine," the Five Beauties; "The Violin for Grand-Grandmother," Miss Valeta; "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," Miss Lewis; "The Beatles," Miss Anderson, and the finale, "The Beatles."

The comedy skit, "The Pixer," will be presented by Marion Buel & Co., and Milo, the tramp, who does about every-

thing, and is rated as one of the biggest hits in vaudeville, will surprise with his versatility. Hilton & Roberts sing and dance well, and Marius & Clements are singers of grand operatic numbers. The Musical Chef opens the show. It brings forth a music maker who can find melodies anywhere in an up-to-date kitchen. The bill will close with a Hearst-Selig News Reel. This will prove to be one of the best shows of the entire season, and tickets for all performances may be obtained in advance. The box office telephone is 28.

Tomorrow afternoon and night special Sunday features will be presented. They will include several excellent acts and five pictures.

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# DENIED CONTRIBUTIONS TO TWO BIG PARTIES

SYRACUSE, N. Y., April 30.—That William Barnes in giving his reasons for opposing direct primaries legislation had said that he believed such elections would give too much publicity to candidates for office as they would be forced to go through two campaigns was the sworn testimony given in the supreme court today by L. W. France, chairman of a committee of the Young Republican of Brooklyn. Mr. Barnes said under oath that Mr. Barnes had told him that the reputation of any man could be ruined by turning the spotlight upon him and that he could vote the republican primaries and so disgust of the people that they would demand a repeal of the bill.

John A. Hennessy, who investigated for Governor Sulzer various state departments, was another witness. When he was asked to testify to conditions as he had found them, William M. Evans chief counsel for Wm. Barnes, agreed to enter into a stipulation that the government was as corrupt as it could be during the last three democratic administrations.

Council for Col. Roosevelt unsuccessfully endeavored during the day to get from the Metropolitan Securities Co., the holding company for the New York Street Railways Co., testimony that he had contributed to both the democratic and the republican organizations in 1903 when Mr. Barnes was chairman of the executive committee of the republican state committee.

**Ordered Out of Court**  
Charles H. Duell, Jr., to whom Gov. Whitman sent the letter which was read in the supreme court yesterday, was ordered to leave the court room this afternoon after he had applauded testimony given by Frederick M. Davenport, a former state senator, and Andrews instructed an attendant to escort Mr. Duell, who was sitting near the witness stand, from the room.

The first witness was Harvey D. Hinnman. He said he remembered what went on in the senate in 1911, when a United States senator to succeed Chaucey M. Depew was chosen.

Council for Col. Roosevelt then read what purported to be a record of the votes candidates received. All candidates were democrats except Mr. Depew. Mr. Hinnman said.

Mr. Hinnman was asked further about the primaries bills that came up in the senate. Finally Justice Andrews said: "I think you are trying to convey to the jury the idea that because Governor Hughes opposed a bill it necessarily must be a bad one."

"Oh no," replied Mr. Van Benschoten of Col. Roosevelt's legal staff. "We want to show later on that the plaintiff said he would defeat the Hinnman Green bill and that the organization democrats and republicans combined to do so."

Mr. Hinnman then told of the senate recessing on the night of June 30, 1910, ten days after convening, a concurrent resolution from the assembly providing for adjournment of the special session. Only 23 republican senators voted against adjournment.

L. W. France, chairman of the Young Republican club of Brooklyn was the next witness. He said:

"Mr. Barnes had sent a message to me at the Brooklyn Young Republican club. He said he wanted to discuss with me direct primaries. He

# CLEAN-UP-WEEK

The first week in May has been commonly designated as NATIONAL CLEAN-UP WEEK, and we should all try and devote part of the week to improving the looks in and around the house. Let us show the visitor that we can be as industrious as the citizens of any other city.

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# BOOM FOR UNITED STATES

PHILADELPHIA, April 30.—Great commercial expansion for the United States as a result of the European war was forecasted by Secretary William C. Redfield of the department of commerce in a speech here today before the American Academy of Political and Social Science. Both Germany and Great Britain, the secretary of commerce said, were in danger of losing their supremacy in the foreign trade, if the war continued.

"No one, I think," he said, "would be surprised to find the United States set in the world's commerce, nor, if the war shall long continue, be astonished to find her first."

Secretary Redfield, whose subject was "America's International Trade as Affected by the European War," reviewed commercial conditions in the world, showing that Great Britain, Germany and the United States ranked in the order named in competition for foreign business. He said that the United States, when hostilities began, found itself unprepared to meet the situation either financially or in a commercial way.

"It is not necessary," he said, "to review the history of the critical months of August and September last. I never think of that period without thankfulness to the men in private business and finance who with great courage and wise resource pulled us through those trying weeks. I hope they will acknowledge what it was able then to do to the same end. We are concerned, however, chiefly to consider what the extraordinary change is which has come over the face of our foreign trade since these things were done."

"A floating debt of perhaps four hundred million dollars has been paid in gold, and not in gold. Some of the gold we had expected to pay what we owed before the war has come back to us in the form of gold. It amounts since the first of December to over six million dollars. We are saving money as a nation at an astonishing rate. The nations of the world turn to us for gold. The nations turn to us for gold, and not only to furnish them goods but to loan them the money with which to pay for the goods they buy from us. We are lending the world money and we are selling the world goods, and both to such an extent that our foreign financial outlook and the condition of our export trade has taken on within ten months an entirely new significance. A new spirit has come into our commercial life—a new sense of relationship to others and of our power to help them and of our ability to supply them."

"The secretary said that there was 'too much industrial inertia' when the necessity for broadening the foreign outlook of the country developed."

"Training in national inability had done its work," he continued. "and when the fear of opportunity struck, relatively few of us were ready to take the step of progress."

But now, he said, however, we were awakening to the opportunity and accepting the necessity for efficient development. He mentioned the establishment of American banks abroad as a forward step.

"It is doubtful," he continued, "whether the ultimate effects of the current war shall be upon our commerce. We know where we were before the war began—a great and growing competitor of others who had many advantages over us. We know

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FRESH LEGS OF PORK—Pound 15c

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Fancy Short Cuts—A Rare Bargain. Pound

Forequarter of Lamb, lb. 11c  
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BAKED BEANS, steaming hot, 12 noon, qt. 12c  
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SIRLOIN ROAST, lb. 18c  
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Fancy Brisket, no bones, lb. 14c  
Thick Rib, no waste, lb. 12 1-2c  
Thin rib, fancy, lean, lb. 10c  
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Very Best Porterhouse—No higher price—Lb. 32c  
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Mint, bunch 10c  
Rutabaga, bunch 10c  
Romaine Salad, head 10c  
Parsnips, lb. 10c  
Turnips, best white 3 for 5c  
Rhubarb 10c  
Cauliflower, qt. 10c  
Onions, best yellow 1 lb. for 10c  
Turnips, best yellow, lb. 12c  
Green Peppers, lb. 15c

Water Cress, bunch 7c  
New Cabbage 4c  
Apples, fancy Baldwin, pk. 30c  
Artichokes, each 12c  
Carrots 2 lbs. 5c  
Sweet Potatoes, lb. 5c  
Bermuda Onions, lb. 5c  
Ripe Tomatoes, lb. 10c  
New Beets, bunch 12c  
New Potatoes, lb. 10c  
Onions, silver skin, lb. 5c  
Honeycrisp Apples, lb. 10c  
French Endives, lb. 40c  
Lettuce, bunch 5c

Cucumbers, each 5c  
New Carrots, bunch 3c  
Rutabaga, 3 lbs. for 5c  
Shallots, box 20c  
Cauliflower, lb. 12c  
Chives, box 12c  
Garlic 2 for 5c  
Apples, fancy russet, pk. 30c  
Ornate Plant, bunch 15c  
Squash, lb. 10c  
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15c Size California, doz. 10c  
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TOMATOES 10c Cans 7c  
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- Powdered Borax, lb. .08
- Denatured Alcohol, pt. .10
- Boric Acid, lb. .19
- White Castor Oil, pt. .20
- White Kerosene, lb. .20
- Formaldehyde, pt. .20
- Salt Spirit Nitro, 4 ozs. .20
- Italian Olive Oil, 1/2 pt. .25
- Amphorated Oil, 1/2 pt. .20
- Liquid Disinfectant, qt. .25
- White Hazel, qt. .25
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- Roach Death, lb. .35
- Gum Camphor, lb. .54

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## DID NOT APPROVE MOVIE

WASHINGTON, April 30.—W. H. Lewis, a Boston negro, and former assistant attorney general of the United States, and Bishop Alexander Walters of the African Methodist Episcopal church of New Jersey, called at the White House today to inquire about reports that President Wilson had given his endorsement to a moving picture film depicting scenes during the reconstruction period in the south. In a manner distasteful to negroes.

Secretary Taft showed them a letter to Representative Thatcher of Massachusetts, saying that while the film was once shown at the White House as a courtesy to a former classmate of the president's, the president was unaware of its character, and has at no time expressed approbation of it.

## TAKE UP WAGE QUESTION

FALL RIVER, Mass., April 30.—The MFL Firemen's union has today called special meetings of the day and night firemen for Sunday to discuss the wage question. An advance is sought, but the union will not state the sum at this time.

POSTMASTER OF NEW BRITAIN  
WASHINGTON, April 30.—President Wilson today appointed Wm. F. DeLoe to be postmaster at New Britain, Conn.

CITY OF LOWELL  
No. 125 C. V.  
April 30, 1915.  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 104 of the Revised Laws, that Patrick Owens, Neill McGlinchey, McGlinchey & Co., have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the first class as common victuallers, in the town of Lowell, and in the alley leading from Gorham st. in four rooms on first floor. Liquor to be kept, but not sold, in cellar.  
By order of the License Commission, JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman



## From Yesterday's Late Editions

NEWS FROM CITY HALL  
AND DEPARTMENT WORKSupt. Kernan Will Meet Baseball  
Managers — New Sidewalks in  
Merrimack and Central Streets

There will be some lively meetings at the office of the park department this evening and it will not be a meeting of the park commission either. John W. Kernan, engineer and superintendent of parks, has invited the managers of all uniformed amateur baseball teams in Lowell to meet him at his office at city hall this evening for the purpose of straightening out the season's baseball program for the North and South commons, Shedd park, Lincoln street grounds and other places.

"It will be up to the managers to make their own arrangements and it will be a case where the majority will rule. I am not going to say what teams shall have the grounds, but I have prepared a schedule that will assist very materially in getting down to business. I suppose there will be more or less kicking, but the majority will rule, and I want it distinctly understood that the manager who fails to show up at the meeting will lose his chances for games. They have all had good and sufficient notice and it is up to them to put in an appearance."

"Something has been said as to the superintendent's authority in the matter of issuing permits for the use of the ball fields, and I want to say that the authority rests entirely with the superintendent and not with the board or any single member of the board."

In substantiation of his claims in this direction, Mr. Kernan referred the writer to the following section appearing in the rules and regulations adopted by the park commission, October 5, 1915:

"The superintendent shall issue a written permit granting permission for the use of the ball fields in the different playgrounds under the jurisdiction of the board. Said permit shall be

issued only within a week of the time the grounds are desired."

#### Welcomes the Rain

After Mr. Kernan had said all he wanted to say about amateur baseball and permits, he turned his attention to the weather. "This rain," he said, "certainly does look good to me and I hope it will keep on raining for three or four days. The earth is fairly parched and it will require a lot of rain to quench its thirst. The flowers and shrubs in the nursery at Fort Hill park were beginning to show the effect of the continued drought and it was but yesterday that we completed a line of pipe with which to give them water. The rain will obviate the necessity of using the pipe but we will have it there for future reference. It will come in handy some time and in fact it should have been laid long ago."

Referring to the pipe laid at Fort Hill park, Mr. Kernan said that other pipes and he spoke of these connected with the pool on the South common. He says that the water services to the pool are no good and will have to be renewed.

#### His Work Appreciated

The superintendent was looking over his correspondence when The Sun man dropped in and asked him if there was anything doing in his department that was worthy of mention. "Good or bad," he said, "I have two letters here," said Mr. Kernan, "that are a little out of the ordinary inasmuch as they contain words of appreciation for services rendered. We don't get very much of that, you know, and in the vernacular of the newspaper it is called a compliment. The following are copies of the letters referred to:

Tampa, Fla., April 16, 1915.

Mr. John W. Kernan, 20 Chelmsford street, Lowell, Mass.: Dear Sir—The occupants of a house on Fletcher street, No. 152, I want to extend to you my sincere thanks for the improvement made on North common. The flower bed directly in front of my old house is of course especially attractive. The old common has received but little attention in years and I am sure that you realize its possibilities. I expect to be in the north for the summer, and will have an opportunity to thank you in person.

Sincerely,  
Geo. W. Ward.

Mr. John W. Kernan, Supt. of Parks: Dear Sir—Permit me to thank you for taking down the large dead tree in the corner of my store on Judd street, and the men of your department for the care and skill in their work.

This tree was not only dangerous to passersby, but to my property as well, as the tree was badly decayed and being so, too heavy I dreaded every wind storm, and as the last vestige of life had left it last summer it was high time to cut it down. Thanking your department again, I am,

Sincerely yours,  
Albert E. O'Hair.

#### Had Nice Day For It

"Where be you going?" queried an old friend of Commissioner Duncan as they passed for a moment on their way to the Newburyport turnpike yesterday afternoon. "Going to look over some concrete mixers," said Mr. Duncan. "Got a nice day for it, didn't you?" said the commissioner's friend, with a knowing wink.

It was evident that the curious one didn't take any too much stock in what Mr. Duncan said about concrete mixers, but the commissioner was right, just the same. It was Commissioner Morse's party and the funny part of it was Mr. Morse didn't see the machine that he was most anxious to see. The mayor and Commissioners Putnam

and Duncan gave it the once over, but Charlie didn't have a look in. Charlie thought the machine was in Middleton, but it so happened that it was in North Andover and it was on the honor roll that the mayor and the other two commissioners ran into it. They allowed that the mixer looked all right, but they didn't have money enough with them to buy it so they came home without it.

Enjoyed the Trip

Commissioner Duncan is the kind of man that likes to do things on a big scale. He thinks Lowell ought to be in the big league. "Other cities are ahead of us in some ways," said Mr. Duncan, "and I don't think we ought to be behind in anything. Down in Lynn they have automobile street sprinklers, concrete mixers for streets and smaller ones for sidewalks, and it seems to me that we ought to have those things in Lowell. I don't believe in this penny wise and pound foolish policy. We are paying a big price to have our nice watered streets, and we should be doing it ourselves. These automobile sprinklers cost about \$4000 and that is a very small item as compared with the money we have to pay the sprinkler company."

"I find that it helps a whole lot to go around and see what other cities are doing; what they have to do with and how they do it. We met Commissioner McPhetres of Lynn yesterday and the hour or so that we spent with him was a mighty interesting one. He is one of those fellows who talk straight from the shoulder and he seems to have a very comprehensive idea of all that pertains to street work, though he told me he often gets the best ideas from men who do not pretend to know anything about street work."

"They are laying a concrete paving in Lynn and it looks to me like a fine good investment. It only costs \$115 a yard and Mr. McPhetres says it lasts well and gives good satisfaction. If I was commissioner of streets I think I would try that paving in Lowell. The only way to find out if a thing is worth while is to try it."

#### Baseball Grandstand

The Lowell Baseball club was granted a permit at the office of the commissioner of public property and licenses for the erection of a grandstand at Spalding park, the estimated cost of which is \$5000.

Charles H. Lapointe has been granted a permit for the erection of a dwelling at 137 Humphrey street. The building will be 25 by 25 feet, 2½ stories, and the estimated cost is \$2100.

#### For Better Sidewalks

City Engineer Kearney has secured the names of abutters in Merrimack street from Union street to Merrimack square and in Central street from Merrimack street to Middlesex street, on whose premises there are old brick sidewalks, and he has advised them that now, while the sidewalks are being torn up in the process of white wash construction, it would be a good time to lay new sidewalks, not of brick, but granite or cement sidewalks. It is stated in the letter that the city would be willing to pay half the expense. Quite a number of the abutters have already expressed a willingness and desire to lay new sidewalks. In some places in the streets in question the sidewalks are a disgrace and new sidewalks would add greatly to the appearance of the streets.

#### SOCIALIST LOCAL

The regular meeting of the Socialist local was held last evening with a large number of members in attendance. The new state secretary of the organization, James O'Neil of Boston, was the principal speaker.

After a report of the break had been made by Patrolman Moore a search was made by the police during the evening hours but to no avail. Sergeant Groulx also investigated the break this forenoon but as yet no clue to the culprit has been found. The police did not give out a description of the man, who, it is said, was seen through the window by the pedestrian. Mr. Lavalley's store is located near the corner of Merrimack and Cabot streets, and as there is usually considerable traffic in that section shortly after midnight, the man who made the break must have watched for a clear street before smashing the glass. He escaped while the pedestrian was notifying the policeman.

By breaking a large plate glass window in a jewelry store at 634 Merrimack street, conducted by Henry Lavalley, shortly after midnight this morning, a burglar gained an entrance to the establishment and escaped with his pockets filled with jewelry of various descriptions. The early morning thief was seen committing the theft by a pedestrian who happened along at the time, and Patrolman Frank Moore was notified but when the officer reached the scene the man had departed.

Mr. Lavalley was informed of the break and after going over his stock reported the following articles missing: 24 rings, 18 charms, four bracelets, four pins, 10 lockets, four bracelets, four tabs and other trinkets.

Philip Goldman, a prominent local business man, has purchased a piece of property at Gorham street and Postoffice avenue.

The building is a one-story brick structure and contains several stores, the tenants being William J. Collins, Ford's D. T. Sullivan, coal dealer; Kennedy, butter dealer; Bacheider, bicycles and the Kimball System. Although Mr. Goldman has not completed his plans it is probable that one or two stories will be added to the building.

#### BOARD OF TRADE PLANS

WILL CELEBRATE OPENING OF GREAT WHITE WAY ON MAY 26TH

The executive and finance committees of the Lowell board of trade was in session this afternoon. The meeting was called for the purpose of discussing the ways and means for a big celebration in conjunction with the dedication of the "white way," which will take place on May 26.

It is believed a grand banquet will be held, followed by an automobile parade. The celebration will take place in the evening.

#### The River Project

The board of trade is in receipt of the official statement of evidence which was produced at the hearing held in Lawrence recently before Col. Craig-hill of the U. S. Engineer department. The board is now in possession of all the data concerning the proposition of deepening the Merrimack river from Lowell to the sea and these papers will be kept for public use.

#### FUNERALS

**SINGLETON**—The funeral of the late William Singleton took place this morning at 8:45 o'clock from the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna, 773 Broadway street, and was largely attended. The service proceeded to St. Michael's church, where at 9:15 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. James Lynch. The bearers were Messrs. James Dwyer, William J. Hunt, John Dowd and John McQuade. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Lynch gave the final benediction. Funeral Director James W. McKenna had charge.

**COCCOLAS**—The funeral of Evangelos Cocolas took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons. The committal prayers were read by Rev. P. J. Glinnes. The burial was in Westlawn in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**ROURKE**—The funeral of the late Daniel J. Rourke took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home of his sister, Mrs. Thomas Brosnan, 12 Second avenue and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends including the following delegations from societies of which deceased was an esteemed member, Patrick J. Mahoney, Thomas Daly, John Hynes, John Murphy, Stephen Dwyer and Jeremiah Murphy representing the Celtic American Society, James Ryan, Stephen Burns, John Kelley and Thomas Linehan from the Irish branch of the Celtic American Society, John J. Quirk of Branch 55, Bannockburn, and the Celtic Society. The funeral mass was sung by Rev. Father Buckley. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were those of "Dan" Barry, Kate and Hannah Manning; pillow inscribed "At Rest," Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Brosnan, and pieces from the Celtic Association, Edward Murphy, C. O. B. from Broadway, Mr. and Mrs. John Rourke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Murlagh, the boys from Broadway, Mrs. Mary, Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell, Bridget Brosnan, Thomas and Lucy Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lynch, Mrs. Thomas Linehan, Catherine Conroy, girls of the cutting room, Lawrence Hosier, and the Messrs. Mary and Katie Manning.

The bearers were James F. Sullivan, William Brosnan, Patrick Healy, John Hannan, Jeremiah Murphy and Michael Hynes. At 11 o'clock Rev. Father Buckley read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**MARQUIS**—The funeral of William Marquis took place this morning from his home, 263 Salem street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Father Racette. O. M. I. The bearers were Henri and George Dalgault, Alfred Racette, and Rev. Fr. Racette. The funeral was represented by L. N. Milot, A. Bourgeois, A. Poulin and J. A. Adams. The funeral was a very impressive one, the cortege being composed of the cutting room, Lawrence Hosier, and the Messrs. Mary and Katie Manning. The bearers were James F. Sullivan, William Brosnan, Patrick Healy, John Hannan, Jeremiah Murphy and Michael Hynes. At 11 o'clock Rev. Father Buckley read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

#### DEATHS

**REARDON**—Mrs. Julia Reardon, widow of Patrick Reardon, a devoted attendant of St. Patrick's church, died this morning at her home, 773 Broadway, after a lingering illness which she bore with calm resignation and

## End of the Week Bargains



The Biggest April in Our History Will Be Closed by Offering Some of the Most Extraordinary Values of the Season.

## For Today a Very Special Offer

WOMEN'S, MISSES' AND SMALL WOMEN'S SUITS \$15.00 \$22 and \$25 Values

An excellent assortment of distinctive styles in all the fine materials, gabardine, men's wear serge and shepherd checks; sizes to 44.

WOMEN'S \$15 STREET AND DRESS COATS—Sale Price... \$9.98

A beautiful selection of styles in street and dress coats; men's wear serge, shepherd checks and covers; about 260 coats comprise the lot; odd and even sizes.

20 WHITE CHINCHILLA COATS \$12.50

Two days only at this price as they are \$15.00 and \$16.50 coats.

All Our Sample Suits on One Reel Marked at 1-3 OFF FOR QUICK SALE

## COSTUMES AND DRESSES—2nd Floor

A Banner Sale Going on at \$5.79, \$7.79 and \$10.79

Coats for everybody for every occasion. See the Palm Beach Suits. 500 Summer Wash Skirts in today.

**CHERRY & WEBB**  
NEW YORK CLOAK STORE  
12-18 JOHN STREET

15 DOZEN Silk Waists Special for Today 98c

## LIQUOR LICENSES GRANTED

Four more first class liquor licenses were granted at a special meeting of the license commission held today in the board rooms in the police station.

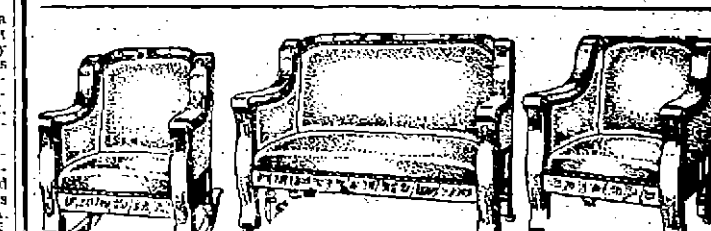
This makes the number of licenses granted to date 102 out of a total of 106 allowed by law. Another meeting of the commission will be held late this afternoon for the purpose of considering minor licenses and the remaining applications. The following licenses were granted:

Martin Moran, Joseph J. Johnson, Martin Moran & Co., 9-15 Salem street, Joseph H. McDonald, Annie M. McDonald, J. H. McDonald & Co., 724 Lakeview avenue, William F. Riordan, Anne E. Riordan, W. F. Riordan & Co., 539, 601 Broadway, Ovilla Morin, Romeo Hubert, Ovilla Morin & Co., 51-63 Salem street. There are 10 applications for the four licenses that remain to be granted. A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Blouin of White street.

## Furniture Specials

FOR TODAY

AT THE LEADING FURNITURE STORE



LIBRARY SUITE—(Like cut)—Mahogany frame, upholstered in genuine brown Spanish leather or silk panne plush. Regular price \$65. Today... \$46.50

FELT MATTRESS—(Like cut)—Genuine Union Felt Mattress, full size, roll edge, 5 inch box. Regular price \$7.50. Today... \$4.99

HEAVY PRINTED LINOLEUM (Like cut)—Variety of patterns. Sold for 60c and 65c a yard. Today, Yard... 44c

SEAMLESS AXMINSTER RUGS—9x12 ft. Regular price \$24. Today... \$16.95

CREX GRASS RUGS—8x10 ft. Regular price \$6.50. Today... \$4.55

**Gookin Furniture Co.**

66 PRESCOTT STREET

## END OF APRIL CLEARANCE SALE

OF  
**Trimmed Hats**

Four Hundred Trimmed Hats to Select From

AND EVERY ONE OF THEM WILL BE SOLD TODAY FOR JUST

**1/2 One-Half the Regular Price 1/2**

\$3.00 HATS for... \$1.50 | \$5.00 HATS for... \$2.50  
\$1.00 HATS for... \$2.00 | \$10.00 HATS for... \$5.00  
\$2.00 HATS for... \$1.00

Don't miss the bargains. Every sale must be for cash as we are not getting the cost of material.

**Head & Shaw** THE MILLINERS 35 John St.





## SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

## REMOVE OLD LANDMARK

One of Lowell's Oldest Buildings to be Replaced by New Structure—Other Real Estate News

The building at the corner of Worthen and Moody streets, one of the oldest in the city and a well known landmark, is now being torn down to make room for a larger and more modern structure.

The house in question was once the property of the Merrimack Manufacturing Co. and was in all probability erected by the authorities of that corporation in its earliest days. It is said to have been a corporation house in which dwellers lived in authority. The house was sold to Mrs. Emory of West Newbury, Mass., and J. W. Goodwin, a prominent Haverhill business man, is in control.

In tearing down the building, the workmen had opportunity of studying the methods of construction followed many years ago and experienced no little difficulty. In many cases, the building was so old that the timbers were moving the timbers. The building is very solidly constructed, the beams and supporting timbers being very large and of hard, heavy wood. Strength and durability were evident throughout. All of the timbers were in good condition, apparently, and had not been injured by the elements beyond their outward appearance.

It is believed to be the intention of those in control to erect a single story building of brick, up-to-date in structure and to be used mainly for store purposes. Mr. C. Malas, who conducts a store in the next building on Moody street, stated that he will occupy the corner site when the new building is completed. Employees in the store of Mr. Malas said that it is the intention of the owners of the property to remove the store now occupied by Mr. Malas, when the latter has finished his new quarters, and extend the new building a considerable distance or build another of similar structure.

Soon a building that is doubtless one of Lowell's oldest landmarks will no longer be an obstacle in the path of progress, and if reports are true and the plans are carried out, its site will be occupied by a larger and more modern building. No definite word regarding the plans of those in control would be issued by those in the office of Mr. Goodwin in Haverhill, though there was no denial of the report that a single story building is to be erected as soon as the old corporation property has been completely demolished.

The building activity in Lowell, as indicated by the number of permits taken out at city hall during the past week, continues encouragingly large. The permits numbered more than 25 and represented quite a large expenditure for new buildings and remodeling of present structures. A number of new dwellings and several garages are to be constructed.

Several property owners are enlarging and remodeling and general improvements.

The four tenement house at 315-322 Salem street, the property of Mrs. A. Glodder, is to be made over into a six tenement house by extensive additions and alterations and interior remodeling. The French roof will be made a flat one.

Emile Danas is constructing a new store front on his property at 172-176 Lakeview avenue.

Gertrude P. Burnham is having a shed at 150 Andover street rebuilt for storage purposes.

Armand C. Seward is having extensive alterations made on his property at 722 Moody street.

The two story building of Mary E. Terson at 113 Lakeview avenue is to be made into one of three stories by squaring up the roof.

Byram Bros. real estate brokers with offices at 97 Central street, report the following sales for the week ending April 30, 1915:

Papers have been passed conveying title to a cottage property in the Highlands section. It has long been the home of Louis M. Doak until recently. This is situated at 51 Houghton street near its junction with Blodgett street. This property has been purchased by an out-of-town party. The grantor is Louis M. Doak, now living at 400 Westford street.

Papers have been passed on the sale of a suburban home property located in North Chelmsford. The sale was effected for Mr. and Mrs. John L. McLaughlin, and the purchaser is Maria W. Dunning. Together with the realty is sold the entire list of stock and personal property.

Papers have been passed on the transfer of a building lot in the Highlands situated on Highland avenue. The area conveyed amounts approximately to 5000 square feet. The purchaser is at the present time erecting a modern house which will receive its finishing touches during the latter part of July. The sale was effected for Laura E. and Joseph L. Lussier and the purchaser is Frank G. Hillman and Charles Cummings.

Again through this office title has been given to Walter and Lena Bills of a suburban home property. This is situated on Barrett hill in South Chelmsford. The sale was negotiated for Mrs. F. A. Adams.

A three apartment dwelling is to be built at 35 Bourne street for George Underwood at a cost of \$3000.

Emory Lamarre of 51 Mt. Grove street is changing over a small barn to be used as a store. The work includes interior alterations and finish, a new store front and other changes, and will cost \$40.

Charles H. Lapoint is building a new house at 139 Humphrey street at a cost of \$2100.

Additions and alterations are being made on the barn at 51 Pawtucket street in the work of remodeling the structure for a dwelling. The interior will be finely finished. The remodeling will cost \$750.

Helen M. Caisse of 724 Merrimack street is adding four new rooms to each of the floors of her house by the erection of a large addition adjoining the rear of the building. The addition will cost in the neighborhood of \$1500.

Thomas J. Clark is building new piazzas on the front and side of his property at 33 Boylston street and remodeling the entrances.

The stable of Prentiss Webster is to be remodelled for use as a garage. The building will be fireproofed to conform to the law regarding garages.

Anna Kall is building a new piazza and stairway on the dwelling at 159 Fletcher street.

The single tenement dwelling of Annie E. Donovan, located at 60 Walker street is to be made over to accommodate two families. The cost of the extensive altering and finishing will be about \$1200.

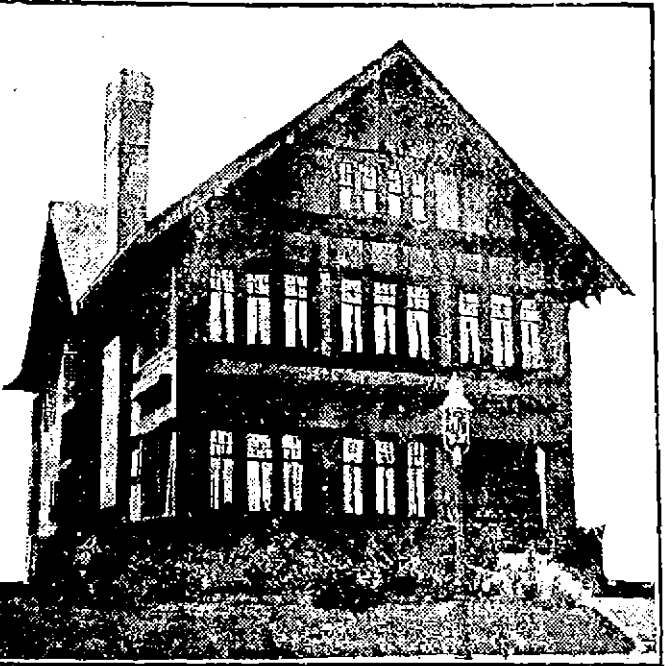
A sleeping porch is to be constructed over the front piazza of the house of William H. Hard at 243 Gibson street.

Israel Namis is changing over the front of his store at 110 Chelmsford street. Two small stores will be combined to make one large one and will have a new plate glass front.

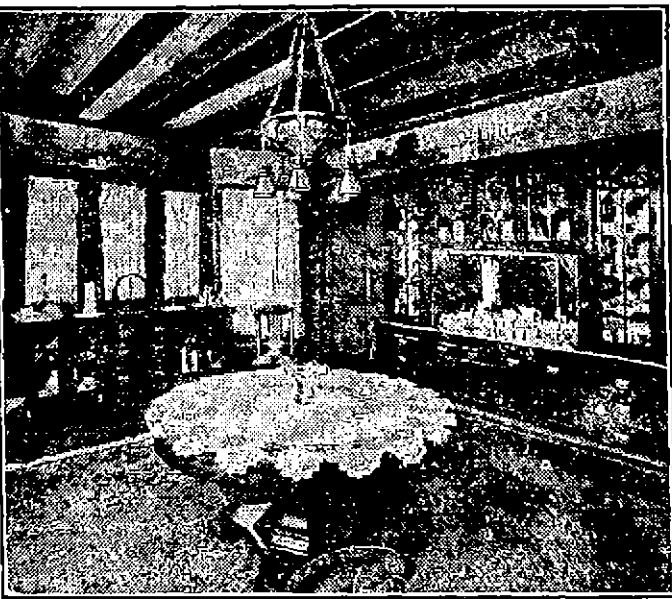
An addition is being built on the west side of the Lowell General hospital to be used as a sun room. Its cost is estimated at \$1000.

The garage of Adde B. Merrill at 465 Bridge street is undergoing enlarging and remodeling and general improvements.

## VENEER AND HALF TIMBER DUPLEX OPENS LARGE NEW PLANT



PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH



INTERIOR VIEW—DINING ROOM

A good example of brick veneer with half timber. The interior view shows a dining room connected with the living room by an archway. Buffet built in the bay, with French windows above it. Sideboard with china closet on each side and above, making a very roomy place for the display of china and cut glass. The size of this duplex is 35 feet wide and 60 feet deep, exclusive of sun parlors and sleeping porch. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, \$11,000.

Rogers, land at The Pines.  
James E. Burke, tr. to William E. Cheeseman, land at Pinchurst Manor.  
James E. Burke, tr. to Agnes E. Monahan, land at the Pines.  
Aaron Adelman, tr. to Adin C. Knudsen, land on Elm street.

WILMINGTON  
Henry H. Hinckley, tr. to Laura E. Littlefield, et al., land and buildings on Burnap street.

George F. Perkins, tr. to George E. Lang, land and buildings corner Clark street and Middlesex avenue.

William H. Hinckley, tr. to George E. Lang, land and buildings corner Forest and Thurston avenues.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, tr. to Henri Kempton, land at Fairview Park.

J. Arthur Surratt, tr. to Paul Brabant, land and buildings on Cottage street.

Mary E. Coghlan, et al., to Martha E. Martinson, land at Pinegrove Park.

Robert J. Jones, et al., to Frederick R. Willard, land on Jones avenue.

HALF CURTAINS OF SILK  
Eru pongee, inexpensive and always available, is a charming material for half curtains, either long, or else confined to the lower half of the window. The 33-inch width is the best for this purpose as it allows for a generous hem at either edge. The finish is a hemstitched hem, and the work is not very great. Sometimes they are edged at the sides and bottom with a gathered ruffle, sewed on with a facing an inch and a half wide. This demands hand work but the result repays it. Sometimes curtains of this sort are made in two sections, on attached to the top of the window frame and reaching to the sash, the other pair beginning at the sash and reaching to the sill. This enables one to admit plenty of light from the top of the window, while the lower set secure desired privacy.

Sometimes these curtains are made of white wash silk, and the tendency to yellow with washing which makes such silk objectionable for personal use is of little consequence, as the creamy tint harmonizes better with most furnishings.

For solution of the difficulty of the poorly lighted hall is to cover the walls with a paper having a rather large conventional design in color on a white ground, using a plain silk in the same color for half curtains. Once the eye becomes accustomed to seeing the windows of a single house treated in different ways, the advantage of so doing will be realized. How often the effect of a large room furnished with a certain solidity and in dark colors is diminished by the use of thin curtains having no possible relation to the scheme of the room, but through excess of the uniformity of the outward aspect of the house—Kath's Magazine.

DRACUT  
Peter Levesque, tr. to Alphonse Levesque, land on Eastland road.  
Warren W. Fox, tr. to Clinton Coffin, land on Greenmont avenue.

George A. Cobb, tr. to Franz A. Grab, et al., land on Elder's Crossing.

Henry F. Peabody, est., by exor., to William Henry Peabody, land on road from Methuen to Pelham, N. H.

George B. Coburn, et al., to Annie E. Joy, land on Varum avenue.

William H. Lavelle, et al., to William W. Lewis, et al., land corner road to Pelham and Old town road.

Mary Manning, et al., to John Bolevert, land and buildings at Merrimack Park.

Fred C. Tohey Land Co., by tr., to Harriette Dingle, et al., land at Collins Park.

DUNSTABLE  
Origen D. Kimball, et al., to George T. Pumphrey, land and buildings on High and Thorndike streets.

TEWKESBURY  
Grace V. Nickerson, et al., to Minnie H. Koehler, land on Willow street.

Sarah L. Seaver, et al., to Harry L. Shedd, land on Cedar street.

Edward E. Lynch, et al., to Oliver F. Marlon, land on Pond street.

Sergius Fegan, et al., to Emily Riley, land and buildings on Foster street.

Sumner M. Nickerson, et al., to May I. Newman, land on Lake street.

TYNGSBORO  
Cleophas Loring, et al., to Clara E. Epler, land and buildings corner Lakeview avenue and Stone street.

George Rogers, et al., to Hattie A. Sherman, land on Chester avenue.

Ada Ferguson, et al., to Annie Ferguson, land on Hovers avenue.

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## PRINCETON CLUB ANNUAL



THOMAS MCGUANE  
President.



MADLINE BOLAND  
Soloist

Enjoyable Entertainment at Associate Hall—Fine Musical Program and Large Attendance

The annual minstrel show and dance conducted by the Princeton club at Associate hall last night was a great success, and long before the start of the first number on the minstrel program, over 100 people were in attendance. The hall was handsomely decorated for the occasion with multi-colored bunting, and the stage background arranged in sunburst effect with the club colors, orange and black, presented a novel appearance. The special footlights, with dimming and high light effects, proved a distinct feature in completing the color scheme, while myriads of incandescents suspended at intervals around the hall also added to the splendor.

Miner's orchestra furnished the music both for the minstrel show and the dance which followed, with Prof. Gilchrist at the piano. As interludes in the minstrel production, J. Walter Foye was entirely in his element and responded to several requests for songs. He was well supported by the entire cast. The solo parts left nothing to be desired in both classical and popular music, and the work of the artists was roundly applauded. The work of the ends was also, especially pleasing, and they sang and danced to the audience in good humor throughout the program.

The opening number "Flow On" was by the chorus, with the solo, beautifully rendered by Miss Marion Nolan. George "Babe" Rogers, the well known cabaret artist followed with "Everybody Rag With Me" and he had to respond to an encore. Jackson Palmer sang "Let Me Like a Soldier Fall" and for an encore he rendered "Little Grey Home in the West." In pleasing voice, "Night Time Down in Dixie Land," as rendered by Miss May Bradley, won great applause, and the popular young lady was obliged to respond to several encores before regaining her seat. Walter Clough sang "You Are the Rose of My Heart" in an artistic manner, and Herbert McKenzie gave Al Johnson's favorite, "Revival Day." Miss Madeline Boland, who is to appear at Keith's theatre next Sunday evening, stepped to the footlights. Miss Boland was in excellent voice, and her selections "Don't Tell the Folks at Home" and "Perfect Day" were well received. Miss McCashin followed in an end song, "All Aboard the Dixie," and John McFarland sang "Dublin Bay" and Arthur Foye "Virginia Lee," while the solo in the finale was sustained by James McNally. The closing number, a popular musical score, now being sung by leading comic opera companies, with words written to the music by the musical director, William Way, was one of the popular features of the program.

Dancing was started soon after 9:30 o'clock and seldom has the hall witnessed a more joyous assembly. The dance continued till midnight.

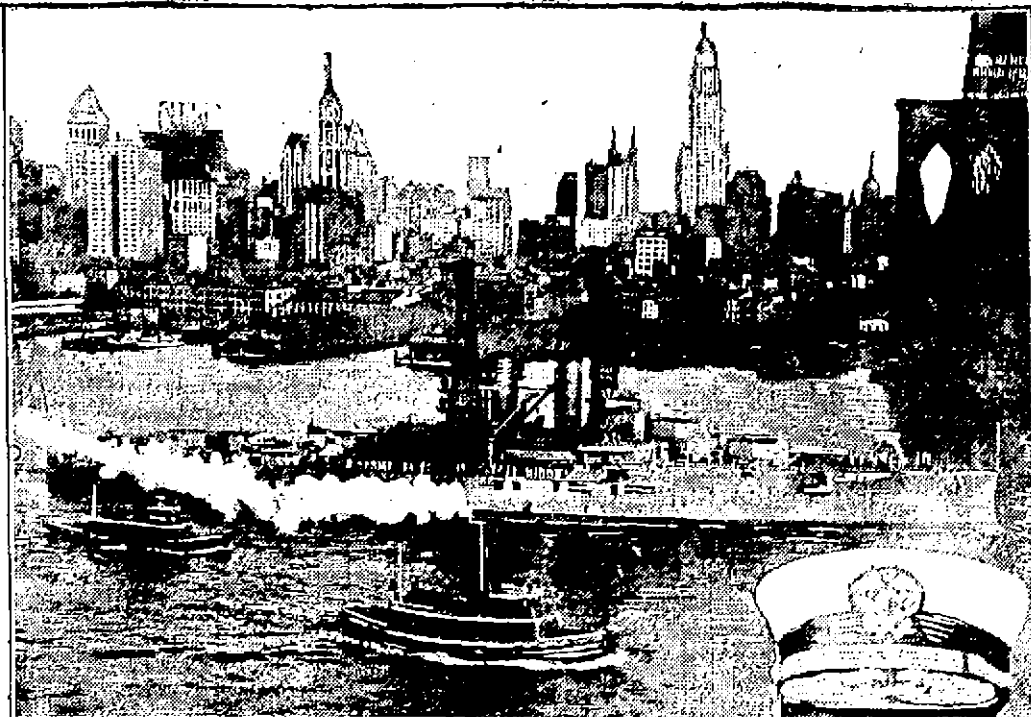
The personnel of the chorus was as follows: Grace Giblin, Margaret Morgan, Annie McNulty, Louise Nugent, M. Peterson, G. Ready, A. Burrows, M. Mills, F. Nolan, M. Ready, Susan Carriage, Mabel LaClair, Odell Gannon, Minnie Eastham, G. Shaw, G. McCarthy, L. McPherson, C. Cox, A. Ringwood, L. McNulty, Leona McManey, Sophie Blakely, Julia Ward, M. Cawley, L. Collett, M. Malloy, F. McNulty, M. Lawrence, M. Dillon.

Those to whom credit for the success of the affair is due were: General manager, Thomas McGuane; assistant general manager, Thomas Tarpey; floor director, Charles Slowe; assistant floor directors, John McCabe and Raymond Foye.

Other aids, Fred Powers and Charles McKenzie; aids, Ray Foye, Patrick McCarthy; Charles Slowe; Thomas Tarpey; John McKenna; James Monahan; Harry McNeil; Fred Powers; William Ryan; Allan Marston; Jas. Quinn; William Foye; Charles McKenzie; Walter Foye; John McCabe; Andrew Burns; J. George Donohue; Edward McKinley; William McManey; Andrew Burns; S. Thomas McGuane; Herbert McKenzie; John H. Nolan; James Burns; William Green; J. W. Kelly.

Reception committee: William Foye, chairman; William Grant; Gus McKenna; Frank Golden; Thomas McGarr; Wil-

## BATTLESHIPS WILL ARRIVE IN NEW YORK ON MAY 8 FOR GREAT FLEET REVIEW



BATTLESHIP FLORIDA and SKYLINE of NEW YORK  
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NEW YORK, May 1.—This city is getting ready for the great review of the Atlantic battleship fleet to be held in the North river on May 18. President Wilson and all the members of his cabinet will be here. The battleships scheduled to participate in this review will arrive in the North river May 8. The submarine flotilla and auxiliary division are scheduled to arrive the following day, and the flotilla of destroyers will assemble on May 12. There will be sixty-five vessels in the review.



Admiral FLETCHER

## THE SPELLBINDER

If any doubt existed as to how little interest the lot-owners of the Edison cemetery as a whole, took in Rep. Lewis' bill to have the affairs of the public cemeteries governed by a board of trustees, it must have been dispelled after last Wednesday's meeting of lot-owners called by Rep. Lewis to talk over the law and well advertised in advance in all the papers at which only 40 showed up, making it necessary to adjourn without doing anything more profitable than listening to a few choice remarks by the ambitious young statesman from Ward eight.

When this bill was before the legislature Rep. Lewis assured the members of that body and the public at large that the lot-owners of the Edison cemetery were dissatisfied with the system in vogue and desired a change. They desired it so insistently that he felt it his duty to introduce the bill, for their relief. The bill became law because no one took sufficient interest to go to Boston and block it.

Then Rep. Lewis called a meeting to talk over the appointment of the trustees, three of whom must be lot-owners, and after advertising the proposed meeting in the daily papers, along with some personal canvassing, only 40 lot-owners put in an appearance. They were thoroughly satisfied with the existing conditions and superintendent, and there to protest against any change in the management of the department.

And on the books at the Edison cemetery are the names of 4500 lot-owners. Think of it! Rep. Lewis assured the public that the lot-owners of the Edison cemetery were red but for a change in conditions, and yet when he called a meeting to consider the appointment of trustees under the new conditions, and duly advertised the meeting, only 40 showed up out of a possible 4500.

The public cemetery department has about 6000 lots and 4500 of them have individual owners, though in the list of those 4500 who own them, the name of the champion of the cemetery, Mr. Lewis, does not appear.

In addition to these 4500 owners of lots in the city-owned cemeteries there are a few thousand more who own lots in the other public cemeteries of the city, so that when only 40 individuals appear to discuss a proposition alleged to be of vital importance to several thousand, even the most disinterested person becomes inclined to take Rep. Lewis' contentions relative to the cemetery with a grain of salt, and look about for the real underlying motive for his activity. When the matter of changing the head of the cemetery department shall come up, assuming that the promoters of the proposed change will have the nerve to attempt to go through with their scheme after what has transpired, it will be found that there are just as many and probably more lot-owners who are thoroughly satisfied with conditions as they now exist, and who will oppose any radical or political changes.

One of the most amusing features of the whole affair is Rep. Lewis' attempt to explain what the bill means.

Senator Fisher, a lawyer, and City Solicitor Hennessy, also well versed in legal lore have stated that the bill is poorly framed, and as it reads does not provide for what its promoters intended it should, and Rep. Lewis has taken upon himself the responsibility of setting both of these gentlemen and the public right on the matter. But if the phraseology of the bill is ever attacked it will be the courts and not Rep. Lewis who will be called upon to interpret it officially.

The Future Tax-Rate  
Only a few days ago Mayor Murphy informed the public that the several white ways would mean an increase in the tax-rate for the next year of about 30 cents. The contagious hospital, the new high school and the Pawtucket bridge will also mean an increase in the tax-rate. And now like Danquos' ghost comes that time-honored temporary loan which the municipal council of the past year stated it would take care of, but which from all appearances it has not. On July first, the city must pay off \$200,000 on the outstanding temporary loan, which will also mean an increase in the tax-rate. The total of all temporary loans outstanding against the city at present is \$1,131,507.65, which of course includes the \$100,000 or more borrowed this year. Thus if any member of the council or any candidate should ever approach you with propositions to reduce the tax rate or assurances that if elected he will do it, don't take him seriously because it can't be done. Approximately every additional expenditure of \$5000 boosts the tax rate just 10 cents, whether the expenditure be for white ways, Fourth of July celebrations, city automobiles or paying back loans.

The Traffic Rules Matter  
"It would appear that the board of trade don't cut the figure with the present city government," said a Middle street dealer to the writer a few days ago. "Nine months ago," he continued, "the board sent up a proposition to amend the traffic rules so as to relieve the congestion in Middle street which is at present a public parking place rather than a public thoroughfare and as yet nothing has been done."

Appointing Bills  
Lawyer Howard testifying in his suit against former Commissioner Brown, Thursday, stated that before Mr. Brown left the position of commissioner of finance he, Mr. Brown, asked Mr. Howard to send a receipted bill for his services in the Knox case to the city, and that he would have the bill approved by the auditor. "When Mr. Brown for he knew the city could not legally pay the bill, just what that meant is a matter of inference but in justice to City Auditor Paige it should be said that if there was any intention to have him commit the city illegally, neither the former commissioner nor the entire city council could have the auditor

commit an act not in strict accordance with the law. During his long experience in the auditor's office he has always been strictly on the level and strong on unwavering adherence to the letter of the law in all matters.

Another Salary Increase  
Health Inspector William Connors, an efficient employee of the health department is the latest city employee to be favored with an increase of pay. His salary it is said having been increased \$2 per week within the past few weeks. Mr. Connors has been in the employ of the city for a number of years and is a faithful and painstaking official. But there are other faithful officials in the same department, who naturally will now look for and expect an increase in their salaries, particularly as some of them do not receive as much pay as did Mr. Connors before his increase.

Those Secret Sewalms  
Says the Courier-Citizen editorially: "On Tuesday night the school committee was in caucus from about 8:30 until 10:30 o'clock. Then it came out in the open, called itself to order, did up its business with neatness and dispatch and adjourned. The question is whether this predilection for preliminary caucuses is quite the thing, or whether it is any less to be criticized in this board than it would have been in the case of some previous boards of less conspicuous ability? What has been said as to overdoing the secret business in the municipal council may be repeated in all candor, with reference to meetings of the school committee."

Judging from the above I should infer that the Courier-Citizen had sent a new reporter to city hall to attend the school board meeting, who upon returning to the office poured his tale of woe into the sympathetic ear of the editor, with the result, as above. The regular city hall reporters have long since become accustomed to being kept waiting several hours while the school board or municipal council have been in secret session and no longer complain. And yet the charter says that all meetings shall be open and in the case of the school board makes a special provision for open meetings under section 31, a part of which reads as follows: "Three or more members shall constitute a quorum and its meetings shall be public."

Protest From West Centralville  
Now it's the business men of West Centralville who are complaining, about neglect, despite the promises of the members of this administration made to them nearly two years ago, by candidates who were going to give so much consideration to the French-American districts. All they want in West Centralville at present is a look at a street car sprinkler or a water pump cart in lower Lakeview avenue, a treat that was promised them over a year ago and then forgotten. It would seem a comparatively easy and inexpensive thing to run a street car sprinkler down Lakeview avenue once in a while. In hot weather it will be badly needed not only by the business men and residents of the street but by the hundreds who travel to and from Lakeview.

Car Sprinkler Conductor  
A story is going the rounds that the first conductor placed in charge of a street car sprinkler, thereby replacing a boy a few days ago, threw up his job after one day's experience, as the job was too much like work for him, compared with the comparatively easy task of collecting fares and an-

Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H.  
All members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., are requested to meet in their hall on Sunday evening at 7:30 sharp to take action on the death of our late sister, Julia Reardon.

CATHARINE A. GAFFNEY, Pres.  
CATHARINE J. GOGGIN, Fin. Sec.

## TWO BUNGO MEN FOILED

Edmund Brickett of Dover Street Inveigled by Two Sharps, But Escaped From Their Clutches

Edmund Brickett of 65 Dover street, a retired business man, has reported to the police that an attempt was recently made by two strangers to swindle him out of a sum of money. A young man called at Mr. Brickett's house and pretended to be interested in real estate, owned by Mr. Brickett. After a short conversation the stranger invited Mr. Brickett to his room on Branch street and the Lowell man consented to go for the purpose of inspecting some books.

In the room was found an older man. Almost as soon as the pair entered, the older stranger informed his

companion that \$20 had been won by use of an instrument of chance. The game was brought forth, and the younger man took another chance and drew a ticket which called for \$20. Mr. Brickett was then invited to try the game and he did and won \$1000. The older stranger said: "Before we pay you the \$1000, you must show us that you would have been good for the same amount if you had lost." Mr. Brickett then furnished that a bongo game was being played upon him and he left the house, relating his story to a police officer. Later Lieut. Martin Maher was sent to the room, but neither of the men could be found.

## AT POINT OF GUN FAMOUS AVIATOR

Bandit Makes Hub Clerk Fill Orders—Escapes Garros Was Captured by the Germans

BOSTON, May 1.—After forcing the clerk of the Santa Clara Wine company, 139 Washington street, to give up, at the point of a pistol, the \$20 in the cash registers shortly before 11 o'clock last night, a bandit made change for several customers who entered the store after he had looted the tills, and departed after locking the clerk in the basement. With his arms folded, the hold-up man kept his automatic pistol hidden under them, but always pointing at the heart of the clerk. Patrick H. Shea of 12 Fellows street, Dorchester, "If you open your mouth you will be the first to drop," he whispered to Shea. The clerk went on waiting upon customers as if nothing was the matter and that the cool robber acted in the guise of a friend waiting for him. Six customers, for two of whom the robber made change when the clerk told them that he could not change \$10 bills, bought goods and went out without suspecting anything. Hundreds of persons from down town theatres passed the store and a dozen or more stood almost in front of the open door, waiting for street cars.

swearing the damnable questions of the passengers. If the story is true and the work is hard, then the job certainly needs an experienced man on it instead of a boy. Because one man threw up the job it doesn't follow that there are not plenty who will accept it.

Charter Went Good  
It is rather amusing to note that in two cases against the city brought by an attorney who was one of the framers of the present charter, in each of which the situation was governed by the charter, the court decided for the city, and hence the lawyer found that there were no weaknesses in the instrument in the construction of which he had so ably assisted.

THE SPELLBINDER  
If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 456 Merrimack street.

CARD OF THANKS  
We, the undersigned, wish to thank our kind neighbors, friends and relatives who by their words of sympathy, acts of kindness, floral offerings and spiritual bouquets helped to lighten the burden of sorrow in the sickness and death of our beloved mother and sister, Mrs. Mary E. Fagan. We assure all that their kindnesses were deeply appreciated and will always be remembered. (Signed) Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fagan; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fagan; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fagan; Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Higgins; Miss Bridget Ryan; Miss Agnes Ryan; Miss Mary Lynn; Miss Agnes, Miss, and Providence, R. I.

BAKER-CROWE  
Earl Alton Baker and Miss Loretta Blanche Crowe, both of Waltham were married in this city, the officiating clergyman being Rev. A. C. Skinner, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church. The happy couple will make their home in Waltham.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS  
The United States civil service commission announces competitive examinations to be held at Lowell as follows: May 12—Electrical expert, add. ship. (male), salary, \$4 per diem. May 16—Oil and gas inspector. (male), salary, grade 1, \$2160 to \$3300 and grade 2, \$1950 to \$2160 per annum.

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SATURDAY, MAY 8, AT 3 P. M.

I shall sell at public auction the Barrister farm, so-called, consisting of a four-room house and barn, barn house and 66 acres of land, more or less, situated in the town of Westford, Mass., on the road leading from Westford to Dunstable, Mass. It is about nine miles from Lowell, one mile from Dunstable, and Ayer trolley line, five minutes' walk from Long-Sought-For pond, with good bathing, bathing and fishing, an ideal fruit or poultry farm, with plenty of tillage land. Wood enough for home use, good water. This farm is so situated that you can sell all your rates of the farm at the door to campers. For a summer house or a farm, you will find it hard to equal. It is easy to reach, near neighbors, near one of the best ponds in the state. Come and look it over.

To reach the sale: Electric car leaves Merrimack Square 12 minutes before the hour, for North Chelmsford. Change to the Ayer line, get off at Dunstable road. It is about one mile from the car line on the Dunstable road. Make all inquiries of the auctioneer.

Terms of sale: \$200 must be paid as a deposit as soon as sold. Other terms made known at sale, that will be satisfactory to the purchaser.

Per order, FRED L. SNOW.

TUESDAY, MAY 11, 1915, AT 2 P. M.

Administrator's sale of the farm and personal property of the late Mr. Ekstrom, consisting of a 1-2 story house, barn, three hen houses and 43 acres of land, more or less, situated in the center of the village of Dunstable, Mass., on the main street.

This village farm consists of a 2 1-2 story house of 11 rooms with several fireplaces. The house sits back from the street, has broad lawn, large shade trees, shrubs, etc. It is supplied with good water, house all piped from tank with pump from a 50 foot never failing well.

The barn is 55 feet long, horse stalls, cattle ties, and hay enough to fill this large barn can be cut with a little care, off the farm. There are three hen houses with yards. All kinds of fruit trees on the place, pasture for 10 cows.

It is estimated that there is 100,000 feet of standing pine timber on the farm with wood enough for home use, and a good gravel bank.

Personal property consists in part of one nearly new two-seated Democrat wagon, one piano box buggy, riding sleigh, one-horse farm wagon, one-horse mowing machine, hay rakes, harrows, cultivators, plows, lot of small tools, four tons of English hay, etc.

If you are looking for a village farm don't miss this chance, for it is only by chance that you can buy one at any price, just a few steps to the library, town store and church.

Terms of sale: \$300 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the farm is sold. Personal property, cash. Other terms at sale.

Per Order ADOLPH F. EKSTROM, Administrator.

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# NEWS FROM CITY HALL AND DEPARTMENT WORK

## Mayor Issues Clean-up Week Proclamation — Council Takes Back Water on Sign Question

Money has been literally pouring in to the city's coffers for the last few days owing to the rush of liquor dealers and druggists to the city treasury to pay their license fees. The total amount collected up till noon today was \$137,526. The amount received each day from April 26 to April 30, inclusive, were as follows: April 26, \$4600; 27th, \$17,400; 28th, \$19,501; 29th, \$37,102; 30th, \$29,095. These amounts include 11 druggist licenses at \$1 per copy and 15 more druggist licenses were issued this morning, bringing the total up to \$137,526.

### May 3d Clean-up Week

The following proclamation having to do with "clean-up and paint-up week" was issued by Mayor Murphy this forenoon:

"This is the season of the year for renovating and renewing our homes and places of business, inside and out, and all citizens of Lowell, men and women, young and old, are invited to assist in this good work. Much good work was done in the preliminary week in April last, but much yet remains to be done. I, therefore, designate May 3d as final clean-up week. Make your plans today for cleaning your premises.

Begin with the attic and go through the basement, and the kitchen, the back yard and the front yard, removing all paper, ashes, wood, garbage, excelsior, old papers, tin cans, old rags, and all rubbish of all kinds. Be ready with all fish and trash in the street when the city wagons come around to haul it away.

Not only the dirt, but call in your painters and arrange to brighten up. Screen up all your doors and windows, especially the windows of your kitchen, dining room, and parlor, and have your milk bottles clean, and protect the milk.

Thoroughly clean all garbage cans. Have them emptied and sprinkle the contents with crude oil, lime or kerosene oil.

Fill up all low places in the yard and prevent stagnant water. Join the clean-up army next Monday and help to eliminate any remaining filth, breeding and menacing accumulation in your neighborhood and make Lowell more beautiful and beautiful, and help to keep it so.

Dennis J. Murphy, Mayor.

**City Council Backs Dorse**  
Francis A. Connor, inspector of buildings, acting under the advice of the municipal council and city solicitor, has consented to issue a permit for the erection of signs on the old Boston & Maine depot at Tower's corner. The council was opposed to the erection of the signs and a writ of mandamus was issued against the erection thereof. The first application for a permit had been made on the city council and the court said it should have been addressed to the inspector of buildings. Acting on the court's suggestion, the petitioner sent an application for a permit to the inspector of buildings. The council members and the city solicitor, however, were not just in favor of granting the petition and had decided to make a test case of it all the way through.

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CHALIFOUX'S

## SUIT FOR \$50,000

### Rae Tanzer Again Accuses J.W. Osborne as Man Who Courted Her

NEW YORK, May 1.—Miss Rae Tanzer, the young milliner who sued James W. Osborne for \$50,000 for alleged breach of promise to marry and later withdrew her suit, saying Mr. Osborne was not the man who courted her under the name of Oliver Osborne, changed her testimony again today and under oath identified James W. Osborne as her admirer, Oliver Osborne.

## NO IMMEDIATE STRIKE

### PROSPECTS FOR A SETTLEMENT OF DIFFERENCES BETWEEN TROLLEYMEN AND OFFICIALS

SPRINGFIELD, May 1.—Prospects for a settlement of the differences between the trolley men and the Springfield Street Railway company appeared good today. As a result of a conference between representatives of the union and members of the state board of conciliation and arbitration, which lasted throughout the greater part of the night, it was agreed that there would be no immediate strike. It was arranged that the conference would be resumed at 9 a. m. today and that the men should draw up a formal statement of their demands for presentation to the company later in the day. The state board will hold a public hearing on the matter on Monday next.

## Merrimack River Savings Bank

417 Middlesex Street.

Interest Begins SATURDAY, MAY 1

# GERMANS SINK RUSSIAN SHIP

## Turks Cut Off on Gallipoli Peninsula— New German Offensive Movement— U. S. Ship Was Damaged But No Lives Lost—1000 Russians Captured

The Russian 2000 ton steamer Svorozno bearing Welsh coal to Archangel, a Russian port on the White sea, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine believed to be the U-23 on Friday at noon near the Blasket Islands on the west coast of Ireland. The Svorozno's crew of 24 men, mostly Russians, barely had time to take to the boat when the vessel sank. All were rescued by a patrol boat.

### U. S. Steamer Damaged

American Minister Van Dyke at the Hague reported to the state department at Washington today that the American steamer Cushing from Philadelphia for Rotterdam was damaged by bombs dropped from German aircraft in the North sea but that no lives were lost.

### 1000 Russians Captured

Several minor battles in Russian Poland, resulting for the most part to the advantage of the Germans are reported in the official communication from Berlin today. In one of them, near the Prussian border in the vicinity of Suwalki, it is said one thousand Russians were captured. In another engagement, a German reverse is conceded.

### Turks Cut Off

The Gallipoli peninsula, which forms the European side of the Dardanelles, is described in unofficial dispatches as being gradually cut off from the mainland by the British and French forces.

## THREE SALOONS CLOSED

### Licenses Held Up by the Board— Four Yet to Be Granted—The Applications Pending

Three first class liquor saloons and one hotel that held licenses during the past year did not reopen this morning. The applications for new licenses for the three saloons are still pending together with several other applications and the St. James hotel did not apply for a license until recently. The first class licenses that were granted a year ago are now before the board for consideration are: McGillicuddy & Co., 51-53 Gorbham; C. E. Cunningham & Co., 123 Fayette street, and the application of O'Neill & Co., at the place formerly conducted by Edward Shea & Co.

Chairman Mullaney of the license board said today that the four licenses were held up as a result of complaints. In one case, a change in the location caused a delay in filing the application while in two other cases changes in ownership were given as the reason. The inholder's license formerly held by the St. James hotel was not granted on account of the late filing of the application and business will probably be resumed in a new building. Chairman Mullaney said that no new licenses would be granted this year.

A complete list of the applications still pending is as follows:

**First Class**  
Jeremiah J. McGillicuddy, Nellie McGillicuddy, McGillicuddy & Co., 51-53 Gorbham street.  
Terence D. Leonard, Catherine A. Leonard, H. F. Duggan & Co., 111 Concord street.  
Cornelius O'Neill, Annie O'Neill, O'Neill & Co., 72 East Merrimack.  
Clarence E. Cunningham, John J. Dowd, C. E. Cunningham & Co., 123 Fayette street.  
John J. Gilley, 123 Fayette street.

**Fourth Class**  
William W. Murphy, Mary A. Murphy, W. W. Murphy & Co., 220 Middlesex street.  
John F. Connor, 20 Thilen street.  
W. W. Murphy, Mary A. Murphy, W. W. Murphy & Co., 225 Middlesex street.

**Minor Licenses Granted**  
At a special meeting of the license commission held late yesterday afternoon the following minor licenses were granted: Taxicab, Charles A. Cole, 225 Middlesex street; Vernon A. French, 221 Lammoth road; auctioneer, Royal L. Stevens, 121 Central street; billiard and pool, Demetriosopoulos Bros., 429 Market street; Martin P. Duggan, 229 Bridge street; Mohammed Ebrahim,

forces. It is said to be no longer possible for the Turks to pass back and forth between the European and Asiatic sides of the straits. Their main forces are reported to be between the town of Gallipoli, at the further end of the straits and Malles, which lies on the straits about two-thirds of the way down the peninsula.

### Severe Fighting

Official advices have not made clear the extent of the operations of the British and French forces. A British statement of last night gave out the impression that the fighting had been restricted to the lower end of the peninsula across which it is said an entrenched line has been established. From several sources it has been reported that the British have crossed the upper end of the peninsula, reaching Gallipoli. There is no confirmation of this, however, except in an official German statement in which it said there had been severe fighting for two days at Gallipoli.

### Turks Claim Progress

"The Constantinople official reports state that the Turks are making consistent headway in their attacks against the land and sea forces of the allies.

**Allies Advance in Flanders**  
The situation in Flanders shows little change, although the French claim a further advance for the allies. The 15-inch shells with which the Germans

# GREEKS PLAN PROGRESS WILL HAVE A HOSPITAL

## Factions in Local Community Get Together—Will Have Cemetery as Well as School and Hospital

"We will build a hospital, establish a nursery, pay for our school and purchase a cemetery," said Dr. George A. Demopoulos to a Sun reporter this morning, while speaking about the local Greek community, "or we will disband, give up the community business and mingle up with other nationalities."

These plans were formulated at a recent meeting of the business men of the community, which was held in the basement of the Greek Orthodox church in Jefferson street. The meeting was called for the purpose of coming to some understanding in proposed changes of the constitution and by-laws of the community, for the annual meeting of the community at which officers will be elected for a term of one year will be held on the last Sunday of this month.

The meeting was called by the president of the community, Peter Tavoularis, and an invitation had been extended to all the business men of the district and about 75 of them responded. Those present set right down to business and went over certain matters of great interest to all members of the community and before closing the meeting they set forth a program which they feel assured will be approved by the voters in general. According to the present by-laws of the community, 21 directors are elected each year by the voters, and there are three or four different political parties in the community. The directors after being chosen by the people elect

a president, a secretary and a treasurer, and according to many it is of course a cemetery. It is proposed that the president chosen is not the man who would be selected by the voters at large. It is proposed to change the by-laws so that the president, secretary and treasurer be elected by the voters as well as 18 directors.

It was voted at the meeting to elect 21 men, who will serve on the board of directors next year, and the men chosen were Dr. George A. Demopoulos, Dr. John C. Gatsopoulos, Dr. Demosthenes Generalis, Peter Chagaruly, pharmacist; George Vozelas, pharmacist; Constantine Tsizourakos, Esq., and the former presidents of the community; Harry Houplis, Thomas J. Noulas and Peter Tavoularis, as well as 12 others who were chosen among the business men of the community.

According to present arrangements, these 21 men will be voted for at the coming election and the interested parties feel assured that the election will be satisfactory. The plans for the first year are that the three physicians who were chosen on the board will act as president, each in their turn, each physician serving for a term of four months.

These men will revise the bylaws for the best interest of the community. There are about 8000 Greeks in this city, and they are determined to unite for their common good.

There will no longer be two opposing factions as all will abide by the new movement.

## POLISH TAG DAY

### People of Lowell are Making a Generous Response

Today is Polish tag day, and to say that the people of Lowell are doing their share towards contributing to the relief of the stricken people of Poland would be an understatement. Over 2000 young women and boys embracing all races, started from the tag day headquarters in the city hall at 9 o'clock, and in no time over 7000 tags, which was all that the committee had printed, were sold out, and the committee was in a quandary as to what to do, while waiting for more tags to be printed. One young lady, Miss Anna Lutz, who took up her tag in front of John Sun's building, sold over 400 tags in less than half an hour, and several of the other young ladies also made remarkably quick sales.

Over at the tag day headquarters, Miss Mary Urbanek, who is in charge of the movement in this city, was a very busy young woman, being in charge of the money collected and handing out the different assignments to the sellers.

In this work she was ably assisted by Dr. C. B. Livingston, who also has in charge of the printing and advertising. Mr. Miller, Mrs. Sluzewski, Mrs. Sadowski, Jacob Targ, Mrs. Nathan Polster, Miss Helen Barnes and many others. Another Archambault, the Merrimack street undertaker has also been of great assistance to the committee, having placed his six passenger touring car at their disposal. The auto was used in carrying the young ladies around to the various assignments.

The tag sellers in this city will remain on the streets until 7 o'clock tonight and by that time the committee is in hopes that every person in the city will have a chance to do his share in helping out a worthy cause.

## INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE

### STRUCTURE CONNECTING BANGOR AND AROOSTOOK ROAD ON AMERICAN SIDE OPENED

VAN BUREN, Me., May 1.—The international railroad bridge, connecting the Bangor and Aroostook railroad, on the American side of the boundary, with the Canadian Pacific, International and National Transcontinental lines, which traverse northern New Brunswick, was formally opened to traffic today.

The bridge extends across the St. John river, between this town and St. Leonard, N. B., and is 575 feet long. It was built by the Van Buren Bridge Co., at a cost of \$250,000.

The bridge company officials, including President Percy R. Todd and Treasurer W. A. Danforth of Bangor, and James Brown of New York, chairman of the executive committee, entertained a number of Canadian and American government and railroad officials with a banquet, after an inspection of the bridge and the extensive lumber mills here.

**MASS NOTICE**  
A month's mind high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church, Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock for the repose of the soul of Police Officer John L. Leighton.

**MISSION AT ST. MICHAEL'S**  
CLOSE OF WOMEN'S MISSION TOMORROW AFTERNOON—OPENING OF MEN'S MISSION IN EVENING  
The attendance at the annual mission which is being conducted by members of the Dominican order at St. Michael's church was so large last night that services were held in the upper and lower churches. The services this week are for the women of the parish. Throughout the week the attendance of women has been very large. The preacher at the service in the upper church was Rev. Fr. Lavie, O. F. M., who delivered an eloquent sermon on the necessity of frequenting the Sacrament of Holy Communion. The closing of the mission will take place tomorrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock for the married women and at 4 o'clock for the unmarried women. The men's mission will open at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening and will continue every evening throughout the week.

**RAYMOND HENDERSON CHARGED WITH MURDER OF GEORGE SWEENEY**  
FITCHBURG, May 1.—Raymond Henderson, charged with the murder of George Sweeney in this city last Tuesday evening, waived examination in court today, and was held for grand jury. Three witnesses were held in bonds of \$100 each.

**DAY OF REST IN ROME**  
MEMBERS OF ALL WORKINGMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS ENJOYED A HOLIDAY  
ROME, May 1, via Paris, 5.15 p. m.—Members of all workingmen's organizations here are observing today as a day of rest. Even the street railway companies have given their employees permission to abstain from work. No papers are being published except the Popolo Romano, the conservative organ, which employs non-union workmen.

**AN EXCITING RUNAWAY**  
Joseph Albert, Jr., son of Undertaker Joseph Albert, and a boy named Belsom, residing in Aiken street, had a narrow escape from serious injury when the horse they were driving ran away in Gorbham street late yesterday afternoon. Fortunately, no one was injured, although the horse was slightly damaged. The animal, frightened by a train while passing under the railroad bridge, dashed forward, fell, got up and ran as far as the fire station where it was stopped.

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# NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

## Governor Signs First Street Extension Resolve—Fight on Hospital Funds

BOSTON, May 1.—Gov. David I. Walsh has signed the resolve providing for a report by the highway commission as to the advisability of extending the state highway along the northern bank of the Merrimack River in the city of Lowell and the town of Dracut, and the measure will become operative on June 1.

The resolve was drafted by the joint legislative committee on roads and bridges from a petition submitted by Senator George E. Marchand and another from Lowell that provision be made for improving a highway along the northern bank of the Merrimack River. The resolve was reported favorably by the house committee on ways and means and it slid through both branches with but little opposition.

### Funds For Hospital

Pros and cons on the matter of funds for state institutions developed one of the hottest verbal battles of the year in the lower branch of the legislature. The debate came on adverse reports of the committee on ways and means—the "Watchdog of the Treasury"—on several resolves for improvements in such institutions. But the big storm broke when the resolve for appropriations for the Boston State hospital was reached. The bill was finally postponed until Monday in order that it might be printed, but not until it had furnished several series of excitement.

Full of Great Barrington defended the report that the resolve be referred to the next general court. He said the governor made it clear last year that he will not permit institutional improvements which will greatly increase the state tax, and every such bill which was passed by the legislature was vetoed by the governor. It is already apparent that the state tax is going to be higher than last year, he suggested, Greenwood of Everett attacked the

policy of keeping down the tax at the expense of inmates of state institutions. The committee on public institutions, he said, found, in one of the institutions, that very difficult operations in one case involving the removal of a woman's breast, because of cancer, have been performed on a plank at the end of a corridor. This same institution, he said, has a dispensary into which it would be impossible to crowd three persons.

On a resolve making an appropriation of \$25,000 for a dispensary building at the Middlefield State hospital, however, the house by a vote of 100 to 101, refused to refer it to the next general court, and it was placed in the orders of the day for Monday.

Next the house took up a resolve appropriating \$112,000 for improvements at the Danvers State hospital. Butler of Lawrence declared that he has visited this institution at midnight and found inmates sleeping on tables and on the floor.

Two of Boston opposed the resolve on the ground that it has been coming to the legislature every year for several years. Greenwood of Everett arraigned the attitude of the republicans on all the institutional improvement bills.

A resolve providing for buildings and improvements at the Norfolk State hospital was rejected.

The senate concurred in the house

amendments to the resolve for a special commission to revise and codify the laws relating to highways.

### Western Highways Bill

The bill to authorize loans to the amount of \$2,000,000 for the laying out and construction of highways in the western counties in Massachusetts was ordered to a third reading in the senate without debate or division.

The senate, without debate, passed to a third reading the flag bill which the house substituted, for Senator Bean's Harvard flag bill. This bill simply repeals the act of 1913 and leaves no ban on the display of the flags of the I. W. W.

### To Reorganize Militia

A message was received in the senate from Governor Walsh transmitting from Adjutant-General Cole two bills for reorganization of the land and naval forces of the commonwealth as recommended by a military board consisting of the judge advocate general and officers of the inspector general's department. The proposed changes are considered necessary to secure conformity in all cases with the requirements of the war department and the federal laws and to correct inconsistencies in existing legislation. The proposed bills will confer upon the commander-in-chief authority now lacking, to fill the new positions in the naval militia in conformity with the requirements of the national naval militia act approved by the president on Feb. 1, 1914.

## ARE GETTING TOGETHER

### REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE IS PLANNING BIG OUTING AT BUNTING PARK IN JULY

The ways and means committee appointed by the republican city committee at its last meeting to make arrangements for the mammoth outing and gathering of republicans of this city and surrounding towns, to be held at Bunting park on July 10, held an important meeting at headquarters last night with chairman Horton H. Hilton as presiding officer. Despite the inclement weather, 45 members of this committee were in attendance and word was received from the other five members of their inability to attend. Various sub-committees were appointed. Those present last night were very enthusiastic over the prospect of making the affair a big success. The secretary was requested to invite republicans of the surrounding towns to send representatives to the next meeting. Senators Lodge and Weeks, Congressman John J. Rogers and candidates for governor and lieutenant governor will be invited and will be given an opportunity of meeting the voters of this district.

Desires the speaking there will be other attractions. The committee took under advisement several suggestions which, if adopted, will be of great interest to all who attend. Several addresses were made last night by well known members who urged the necessity of awakening a renewed interest in the local ranks of the republican party and of getting together for the fall campaign. The committee desires to state that the coming gathering of republicans is not going to be held in the interests of any one candidate or set of candidates, but is for the purpose of "getting together." It was voted to call a meeting of all the merchants and manufacturers who believe that their prosperity depends a great deal upon republicans being elected to control national and state governments to meet the ways and means committee in the near future with the idea of getting all of the republicans in this district to attend the gathering on July 10.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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**25 DICTIONARIES IN ONE**  
All Dictionaries published previously to this year are out of date

## THEY DO SAY

That even the mild eyed potato hates a masquerade.

That the tax collectors are kept busy these days.

That Huerta improves on older acquaintance.

That School Committeeman Caisse is some fisherman.

That white ways are becoming decidedly popular.

That anyway The Sun bowling team won its final game.

That politics is certainly a live issue at the South End club.

That the municipal council is rather addicted to site seeing.

That the patrons of a free feed are never in the minority.

That the fellow who lives without working is still with us.

That the water works isn't alone in the need of more sand.

That some people and some things are easy to do—sometimes.

That there is some fine musical talent at the Lowell high school.

That you are it, if a member of the tax committee gets you today.

That a nickel to charity is cheap ornament for a sore conscience.

That coming events and coming campaigns cast their shadows before.

That too many of us are saving at retail and spending at wholesale.

That Gorham street is again torn up for the continuation of the paving.

That the Bon Marche dancette was one of the prettiest of the season.

That no change has been made in the accounting system at city hall.

That short skirts make a woman look shorter and some men look longer.

That the pulmotor again proved its worth at New York the other day.

That the members of St. Joseph's college alumni will get busy next week.

That this is the day we must all do something for the sufferers in Poland.

That Simon B. Harris allows the fish and game commission is on the toboggan.

That the Capital Girls' baseball team is out to win the championship of the state.

That one who "lives intimately with a canary" must find life one sweet song.

That council members don't require big excuses for automobile rides these days.

That the Lowell baseball association has a fine healthy looking secretary.

That spring out of doors and spring indoors are two entirely different propositions.

That no sort of kicking pays the kicker less than kicking against the wall.

That we may pray for what we want, but we have to hustle for what we get.

That the Ginzas murder has been added to Lowell's long list of unsolved murders.

That some people are of the impression that there are too many houses at city hall.

That Jimmy and Dan are becoming very popular around Walker street and Broadway.

That everybody at city hall has an autograph of George Bean, the patient elevator man.

That the best kept grounds in Lowell are around the Immaculate Conception church.

That a party of local carmen will open the deep sea fishing season next Wednesday.

That the rain has come in line to prove the failure of the clean-up preliminaries.

That the lives of great men all remind us of the insignificant parts we play in life.

That Charlie Morse says he will keep the streets watered if he has to use sprinkling cans.

That Frank Maloney says these contracts will be changed or he'll know the reason why.

That the amateur baseball teams are "sweating the blues" in great style at the local ball parks.

That the May party at the Highland club promises to be one of the social events of the season.

That Martin Conley fears the drought will queer his plans for a picnic at the city farm.

That the fourth opening of the American Girl club will be of a very elaborate nature.

That now is the time to get railroad maps and hotel booklets to plan for your summer vacation.

That the local carmen maintain that conductors should handle the trolleys on the car sprinklers.

That Congressman Rogers has made another big hit with his "Home Garden Club" proposition.

That those behind the scenes deserve a little credit for the smoothness of a performance.

That Tom Davis never knew how many friends he had until he purchased that automobile.

That the birds are beginning to appear in the billboards, on the trees and the very lawns.

That some local smoke talks would be more easily lit if there was less smoke and more talk.

That the man who pulls one way and prays another can hardly be expected to make much progress.

That local officials and some visiting notables are about to found a mutual admiration society.

That the parks of the water department are being in beauty with those of the park commission.

That "Patience" as presented by the high school actors and actresses will never cease to be a virtue.

That one of the patrolmen had a "hard" time in the superintendent's office a few evenings ago.

That Frank Connor says there are those who will ask for signs and no signs will be given them.

That the Broadway Social and Athletic club is making rapid progress as a new social organization in the city.

That the mills of the city are fairly busy and the shoe shops have experienced a boom in business.

That Tom Doyle has purchased an automobile and Mike Markham is learning how to drive it.

That the pending the office of some streets it would be wise to use a little water to lay down the dust.

That a recent drowning accident should be a warning to midnight fishermen to be more cautious.

That the most popular girl gets in bad with her best friends when she lands a desirable catch.

That John F. Roane, Jr. did wonders in a short space in preparing for the K. of C. minstrel show.

That the residents of Maple street have petitioned Commissioner Morse to have that thoroughfare aliéd.

That some club members will enjoy more sleep after May 1, for the club bars will close at 11 o'clock.

That Manager Bill Quinn is confident that the local cops will cop the pennant in the police league.

That the girl you love, like time and tide, may not wait for you, so it behooves you to get a move on.

That the Lowell Fish and Game association has a most worthy president in the person of Simon B. Harris.

That there's a fine opening for a young man with plenty of patience in Merrimack square as a traffic cop.

That Lowell has more than its share of the bachelor boys who seem to have discovered the fountain of youth.

That the Fairmount Campers will be at home in their friends at their new camp at Willow Dale this summer.

That while the baseball magnates did not like the season's rain, the farmers, gardeners and alleged gardeners did.

That Connie Cronin plans to spring a few surprises on the prominent residents of Pawtucketville on May 12.

That evidently the two most recent commissioners have been in a state of silence or the danger of inactivity.

That when young men shoot craps until the police get them they should expect the newspapers to shield them.

That the fire departments of the suburban towns are hoping for a heavy shower so as to put a stop to the brush fires.

That Tom Kelly isn't an old man yet as he proved by winning some of the prize money in the bowling season just passed.

That the public is taking a crack at the municipal council for holding secret sessions in a variety of languages.

That the confirmed bachelor has the most pronounced views on marriage and the old maid is emphatic in her views on children.

That the South common is a busy spot afternoons at this season. More than half a dozen ball games are in progress each day.

That true to his reputation the weather-man gave us a down-pour on the opening day of the New England league season.

That the Sunday School teachers of the Sacred Heart church scored a great success in their presentation of "Rebecca's Triumph."

That when it comes to secret conferences and belated meetings, the municipal council is beginning to intimidate the school board.

That this is the season of the year when the thoughts of the fellow who whipped the trout springs in his youth turn to the old home.

That the most notable exponent of display advertising is the girl who wears her new silk petticoat when stepping on a street car.

That Assistant Agent Gilmore of the Humane society is rounding up cats by the dozen since he has his large box in the rear of his automobile.

That the angel of death, inquired on his recent visit to Pawtucketville, four well known residents responding to the call within a few days.

That the minstrel show, and dance orchestra, which were here last evening was easily one of the leading social events of the season.

That with a small group that includes Merrimack square, the purchase of a new petticoat is a greater event than the loss of the Titanic.

That the two young men who ventured out in a canoe on Last Sunday when a stiff wind was blowing will be a little more careful next time.

That Manager Morris must see the writing on the wall when he is attempting to grab creek bedders from each team and other franchises.

That the beautiful tablet presented to the winning team in the city Bowling league by Hon. John Jacob Rogers came as a most pleasant surprise.

That the residents of East Merrimack street may have the extension of the

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## COE IS FOUND

Disappearance of Young  
Standard Oil Sales-  
man Solved

BOSTON, May 1.—Harry Clark Coe, Jr., the Standard Oil salesman, who mysteriously disappeared on Jan. 30, has been found. It is claimed, on the outskirts of Fairbanks, Alaska.

This announcement was made last night by Detective Robert Burns, who says Coe has been positively identified by a man who knew him in the east.

An operative of the Burns agency made the discovery more than a week ago, but the announcement was withheld until after Robert Burns had conferred with Coe's father, who came here from New York yesterday.

Coe is doing some light work, and as far as can be gathered from the recent messages, is in good mental health.

Dr. H. C. Coe, his father, however, has arranged with a Dr. Coe of Vancouver, U. S. insanity expert for Alaska, to go to Fairbanks and see the young man. If it appears that he is normal, he will be brought back to Boston. Otherwise, he will be taken to some sanitarium.

The discovery bears out the state-

ment that Coe took a train for Montreal, and then started out west. He was traced across the country to Vancouver, from where he took a steamer to Alaska.

Coe's trip, it is said, was made in an abnormal condition of his mind. For some time before he left his home at 1200 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, he would become absorbed in an atlas or railroad time table. Maps also held much attraction for him, and he read with unusual interest "The Honor of the Pig Show." It is now believed that this book influenced him in the direction he took.

The details of the trip and the nature of the work that Coe is doing, and the name of the man that made the identification in Alaska, have not been learned by Robert Burns.

Rolls are 35 cents a word from Fairbanks, and "and my man has not wired me any more than was necessary. But there is no question in my mind that the fellow under surveillance is Coe. The operative was very explicit in stating that the identification was positive.

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## PRESIDENT IN WRECK STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

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ING THROUGH WEST PHILADEL-  
PHIA—NO ONE INJURED

NEW YORK, May 1.—President Wilson spent nearly three hours here this morning on his way to Williamstown, Mass., to attend the christening of his grandson, Francis Severe. He was joined here by Miss Margaret Wilson, his daughter, who has been spending several days in New York. Others in the party were Dr. Cary T. Grayson, the president's naval aid and physician, and Miss Helen Woodrow Jones, his cousin.

While the president's train was passing through West Philadelphia, early this morning, the airbrake on the engine jammed and the train came to a sudden stop. Several pieces of glass were broken and a water bottle in the president's car fell to the floor with a crash. Everyone on the train was shaken but no serious damage was done. The president will arrive in Williamstown at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

## LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY

The program that the Orchestra Society has selected for its third and last

**CONCERT TOMORROW AFTER-  
NOON AT COLONIAL HALL**

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## BOLT GOES THROUGH STREET

CAR IN WOBURN, SPARKS AND SMOKE TERRORIZE PEOPLE

BOSTON, May 1.—The lightning, which accompanied a heavy thunder shower at noon yesterday, caused considerable damage in the suburbs of Boston. A bolt went through a Woburn-bound Stoneham car in Salem street, Woburn, and caused a panic among the 12 passengers when a shower of sparks was followed by a pall of smoke which filled the car. Nobody was injured.

A corner of a barn at 30 Mt. Pleasant street, Woburn, owned by Morrie A. Burns, was torn away by a bolt which struck the ridge pole and followed down one side. Although the bolt left a trail of fire, the barn did not catch fire.

The residence of Mrs. Mary J. Dowd, 919 Main street, Winchester, was struck and the lightning, after ripping off the top of a cupola, ruined the electric light wiring of the house and tore out parts of the plumbing. Mrs. Dowd has been in bed several days and was about the house for the first time yesterday.

The lightning blew out an electric light fuse near a switch in her bedroom and sent a shower of sparks over the bed.

The lightning was freakish in Wakefield. A bolt went down the chimney of the Miller piano factory and sent a shower of live coals over Engineer C. Lindsey, who was shoveling coal upon the fire in the engine room. He was knocked down and stunned. His son, Harry Lindsey, pulled him to one side and extinguished the fire which had started in his clothing.

An amateur wireless gaff on the roof of the residence of Palmer H. Sandworth, 110 West Chestnut street, Wakefield, received a message from the clouds which ripped shingles and tore a large hole in the roof. There was no fire.

Several times between 12 and 1:30 o'clock the steel forest fire watch tower on Hart's hill, Wakefield, was struck and sent off showers of sparks. The town's electric light service was rendered useless for several hours.

The chimney on the house of Thatchers R. Streetor, 114 Massachusetts avenue, Arlington Heights, was knocked down and shingles torn up. The lightning blew out fuses on electric light wires in several houses and put the service out of commission for some time.

Fuses were blown out of an elevated car at Massachusetts and Park avenues, Arlington Heights, by a heavy charge, which probably followed along the trolley wire for some distance.

**SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE**  
In the three and one-half months that the Lowell Social Service League has been in existence, it has touched the charitable and philanthropic work of the city at a surprising number of points.

Its work it has come into contact with 21 churches, the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., and 5 Catholic parishes. In dealing with children's problems, and four of the public schools, and four of the parishes, it has been consulted. Problems of ill health have brought out the co-operation of 18 of the city's physicians. In its work with individual families, it has come into touch with most of the public charities of the city, the municipal court and several of the state's agencies.

It has also worked with two labor unions and 18 of the private societies. Including the hospitals which are interested in social betterment.

The problem of unemployment has brought it in contact with 24 employers of labor including some of the largest of the city's mills, and many private individuals have shown their interest and given their advice. Out of town agencies have been consulted with either to give or to gain information in Boston, Cambridge, Newburyport, Salem, Worcester, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., Providence, Brooklyn, Eastford, Milton, Haverhill, and Poughkeepsie.

Twelve individuals have volunteered for work in friendly visiting, the office, or other ways. Centralville, the Highlands and Belvidere are represented among these volunteer helpers.

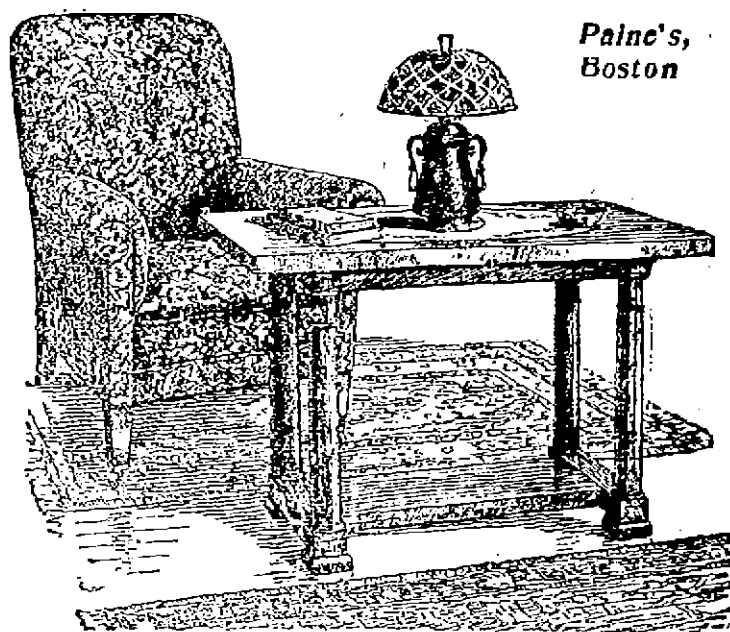
**AMUSEMENT NOTES**

**B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE**  
The artistic draping of models furnishes one of the features of "The Fashion Shop," the musical comedy which will be presented at the B. F. Keith theatre next week, and none other than Hugo Jansen, one of the noted Paris modistes, will have the leading role. The show is just what the name implies, a fashion show, and the great war broke out Jansen found every avenue of profit closed to him, and so he came to America, where the idea of putting a fashion show on the stage appealed to him. He realized that he would be forced to work with rapidity. In order to hold his audience, so he set about the cleverest costume designs what looks well on different persons. The three beautiful models which he carries, and which remain in use, are cut from the very latest of fashions within a surprisingly brief period of time.

In order to make the act something more than a mere draping of costumes, Mr. Jansen had to provide a story, and for music, Blanche Latell, formerly comedienne with "Naughty Marietta," will be seen in the part of "Naughty Marietta." The show is just what the name implies, a fashion show, and the great war broke out Jansen found every avenue of profit closed to him, and so he came to America, where the idea of putting a fashion show on the stage appealed to him. He realized that he would be forced to work with rapidity. In order to hold his audience, so he set about the cleverest costume designs what looks well on different persons. The three beautiful models which he carries, and which remain in use, are cut from the very latest of fashions within a surprisingly brief period of time.

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Aside from the fact that "The Five Violin Beauties" is an act of real beauty, there is one fact in connection with the forthcoming production which should make it doubly a favorite. Mrs.



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The comedy skit, "The Fixer," will be presented by Marion Buel & Co. and Mito, the tramp, who does about everything, and is rated as one of the biggest hits in vaudeville, will surprise with his versatility. Elton & Roberts, singing and dancing well, and Marjorie and Clements are singers of grand opera numbers. The Musical Chief opens the show. It brings forth a mangle maker who can find melodies anywhere in an up-to-date kitchen. The bill will close with a Heavst-Sells News Pictorial. This will prove to be one of the best shows of the entire season, and tickets for all performances may be obtained in advance. The box office telephone is 25.

Tomorrow afternoon and night special Sunday features will be presented. They will include several excellent acts and five pictures.

**THE OWL THEATRE**  
Today's owl performance is a splendid one. There is a great variety of subjects, with "The Judge's Wife" as a special feature. Coming Monday and Tuesday, Nance O'Neil in "The Kreutzer Sonata," a famous play from the pen of Leo Tolstoy, the Russian writer. Many other pictures will complete the finest program ever shown in Lowell for the money charged for admission.

**ACADEMY OF MUSIC**  
The performance at the Academy of Music will be continuous from two o'clock to 10:30 today in order to accommodate the large number of patrons who will take advantage of this last opportunity of seeing Mary Pickford in "The Eagle's Mate." Good seats may be reserved in advance if desired. This picture has proved to be one of the very best attractions the Academy has ever offered. The leading character is a delightful one as interpreted by the charming Mary Pickford. "The Submarine Spy," another fine drama, is a most unusual photoplay, having been produced for the most, on a submarine. "The Governor's Maker," a drama, and a good comedy complete a program of the highest entertaining qualities.

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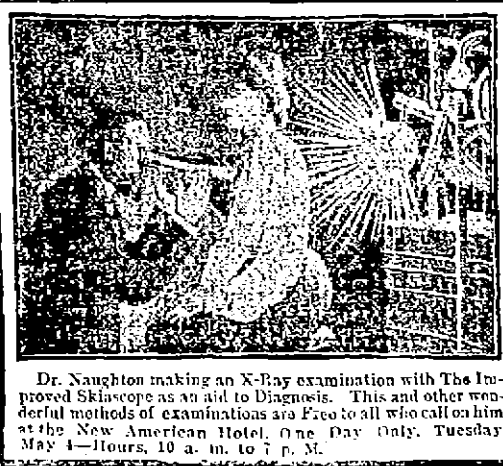
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AND ATHLETICS

## TOO WET TO PLAY

All Games Postponed  
—Clubs Will be Sized  
Up in Few Days

Yesterday was a pretty bad day for the opening of a league season. In fact it couldn't have been much worse. And here's another one almost as bad. The "little of league" is surely in had for a starter this season.

The first few games of the season will be watched with great interest by the fans interested in New England league ball. At present it is almost impossible to estimate the comparative strength of the eight clubs in the league.

So many new faces will be seen around the route this season the picking of pennant candidates is a hard job just now. Each city seems to think that its club has a chance at the flag. Of course one or two of them are well equipped, not to be mentioned and named names, but the other clubs are extremely uncertain quantities.

**Briggs Released**  
Frank Briggs was released by the Boston Braves yesterday. Briggs goes to Troy for the remainder of the season. This move was made imperative by the 21 men ruling of the National league this season.

The former catcher has been given opportunity to learn a lot about baseball this spring. His experience with Stallings' outfit should prove of big help to him. In fact Briggs improved so rapidly that Stallings did not want to let him go and would probably have retained him as a utility man if the club could carry more than 21 players.

**In Regard to Ring**  
Jimmy Ring is well liked by "Whit" Ring. Although it is very doubtful if he is retained by the Yankees Ring will be heard of another season in all probability.

The New York manager has decided to send Ring out for the season but he is in a predicament as to where to locate the youngster. Ring wants to go higher than local club and there isn't any doubt but what he can stay in faster company.

On the other hand Lowell has a claim against Ring's services. The club has been existing between the New York club and Lowell is a matter of \$2500 providing that James isn't returned here. The question now arises as to whether or not Lowell will farm Ring out to a club other than Lowell? That's what it will cost them if Ring is not returned to the club.

**Myers for First**  
Tex Myers, the first backer recently picked by the Boston Braves, will probably be used at the initial sack by the local management. Barrows hasn't announced himself as yet though.

Powers, however, will not be released. This youngster gives promise of becoming a great ball player. His style, although not as smooth as that of Myers, is very effective. He lacks the experience of Myers, of course. Powers is also a pitcher and if Myers clinches his hold on the first base job Powers will be tried out as a mound possibility.

**Lawrence Manufacturing Co.**  
baseball team is scheduled to play the Hutesons of Lawrence this afternoon on the Allen street grounds.

A big meeting of the Loomerys' union is scheduled for Monday night and business of considerable importance will come up for transaction.

Since the organization of the Textile Workers' union, the Loomerys' union has been enrolled in its membership. Miss Madeline Boland of the Lawrence Manufacturing Co. made the hit of her career at the minstrel show conducted by the Princeton club last night.

James Mallon, organizer for the Plasterers' union, who has been in this city since the start of the labor forward movement, left yesterday for his home in Brooklyn, N. Y.

John Joyce, the popular mechanic employed at the Massachusetts mills will preside at the meeting of the Four of Clubs to be held tomorrow afternoon at the Temple club, Willow Dale.

John King of the W. J. Barry Shoe Co. says the formal opening of the Fairmount Campers summer home at Willow Dale will be largely attended by both members and invited guests. The event will be held tomorrow afternoon.

**Noonday Meetings Postponed**  
The noonday meetings at the mill gates scheduled for yesterday by the labor forward committee were postponed owing to the rain. The labor men went out, however, and distributed circulars and other literature pertaining to the movement.

**Boat & Shoe Workers' Meeting**  
The open meeting of the Boat and Shoe Workers' union this week was the most enthusiastic held since the inception of the organization, and the results were very encouraging to Organizer Daniel E. Whelan. At the next meeting balloting will be done for the election of a delegate to represent the

union.

**Choral Society**  
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For the General Public the Exchange Begins Thursday, May 6.

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## LEADING BATTERS

Fournier Tops the A.L.—  
Groh Leads Nat'l's—  
Alexander Best in Box

CHICAGO, May 1.—Jacques Fournier of the White Sox, with an average of .343 tops the batter of the American league, according to averages published today. The league's veterans are well to the front with Cobb, leading hitting .429 and closely pushing Veatch, his team mate with .415 for second place. Others among the leaders are Lapp, Philadelphia, .417; Heschel, Detroit, .409; Crawford, Detroit, .398; Strunk, Philadelphia, .378; Melvin, Philadelphia, .378.

With nine thefts to his credit, Cobb leads the base stealers. The averages, which include games of last Wednesday, show that five pitchers in the league have two or more victories without a defeat. Danks, Detroit, leads with four wins. Fisher, New York, is next with three and then come Boland, Detroit; Hense, Chicago and Caldwell, N. Y., with two each.

Heine Groh, Cincinnati, is setting the batting pace in the National. His average is .429 and his closest rivals are Lunder, Philadelphia, .415; Conner, St. Louis, .407; Wiltz, Philadelphia, .406; Schmidt, Boston, .396; Clarke, Cincinnati, .378; Good, Chicago, .367; Killiter, Cincinnati, .365. Groh's batting honors go to Goodgrover, Cincinnati, with four straight victories, leads the National. Next the Philadelphia are Schneider, Cincinnati, Chalmers, Philadelphia and Pierce, Chicago, credited with two wins each and, Hoke Adams, Chicago, with one victory.

Eddie Lennox, Pittsburgh, leads the batters of the Federal league. In seven games he has been up six times and made three hits for percentage of .500. Led by Allen of Pittsburgh, with four wins to his credit, there are six undefeated pitchers in the Federal league. The others are Kniser, Newark; three victories; McConnell, Chicago, two; Mullen, Newark; two; Prendergast, Chicago one and Finerman, Brooklyn, one.

**HOME RUN BAKER HURT**  
FELL DOWN STAIRS AT HIS HOME IN TRAPPE, MD., AND FRACTURED RIB

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—Frank Baker will not play with the Upland team in the opening game of the championship season of the Delaware County league this afternoon. Yesterday Manager Miller of Upland received a telegram from Baker in which he said that he had fallen down a flight of stairs at his home at Trappe, Md., and broken a rib.

It was said the amount of the reported salary of \$100 a week for Baker does Frank an injustice. The exact amount of pay given the famous third baseman was not announced, but it is admitted that it is considerably more than \$100 a game.

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GRANT FIGHTERS TO CLASH AT NEW YORK NEXT WEDNESDAY NIGHT

NEW YORK, May 1.—Anticipating considerable trouble when he steps into the ring with Jim Coffey and Al. Reich, the Garden next Wednesday night, Rocky Grant has already gone into training. Reich takes to the roads in central park in the morning and plays handball on the Sharkey Club court in the afternoon.

"The feeling is so strong between these two fellows," said Joeche yesterday, "that they may forget themselves and start to beat every one else the hook. These grudge fights crop up only once in a great while. Sailor Burke and Willie Lewis fought one of them and the fans are still talking about it."

"This one may be short and sweet, for both men are exceptionally clever, with clean deliveries. It looks like a toss-up to me with little chance of the bout being the limit."

**MERKLE ON THE BENCH**  
TWENTY-ONE PLAYER LIMIT HAS WORKED ITS HANDSHP ON THE NEW YORK GIANTS

NEW YORK, May 1.—There is no prospect of a mad rush to the top by the Giants in the next few days. Circumstances, such as which McGraw had no control, the overworked, twenty-one player limit, and the fact that McGraw is still fighting against an underdog movement by the New York Nationals, have kept the Giants from making a move.

Three players were hurt in the Thursday clash with the Braves on Thursday and one already was on the hospital list. Fred Merkle, whose left arm was dislocated, will not be able to play again for two months, officials of the club announced yesterday. Merkle was having a better year than for several years past. He had batted .300 in his hitting and was fielding captain. McGraw had to go to the hospital Thursday night and McGraw's place was filled by Fred Merkle.

One is Robert, who was spiked at third base by Maranville; the other is Robertson, who was injured in some way by being batted from going into the bases and needed the doctor's attention after the game.

Fred Snodgrass, slated to take Merkle's place, was wounded hand. He got in Brooklyn's last week.

**GAMES MONDAY**  
New England League  
Worcester at Lowell.  
Portland at Lawrence.  
Fitchburg at Manchester.  
Leicester at Lynn.

**American League**  
Washington at Boston.  
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No games scheduled.

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## A STIFF BATTLE

Champion Kilbane Only  
Shades Young Benny Leonard

Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland, featherweight champion, and Leach Cross of the East Side were the winners of the ten round bout at the Federal A. C., New York. Kilbane fought Benny Leonard, a lightweight, in a so-called handicap bout, but the handicap was nothing to brag about, for Kilbane weighed in at 129 and Leonard at only 130. The champion had the best of six of the ten rounds, and Leonard had the other four—first, fifth, eighth and ninth.

Leonard might have beaten the champion with a little confidence, but even when he was having the best of the bout, apparently, he would shut up like a clam and clutch for all he was worth. This made the fighting very hard for both of the boys, but especially for Kilbane, for the latter could not get his hands and legs working to any great extent.

In the first round only three blows were struck and Leonard scored all of them. In the second round Kilbane's left eye with a light hook and in the eighth he landed the best blow of the night, a straight right to the chin. Kilbane did the most of his execution on jobs and short left and right hooks at close quarters.

Cross met Packer Hommey, and although he was in the lead at all but two of the rounds, the fourth and ninth, he did not win by a coming margin. Hommey kept coming at Cross from going long and short over many a resounding wallop. The dentist's ring generalship and experience were too much for Hommey.

**BRAYES RELEASE BUGGY**  
BOSTON, May 1.—The Boston Nationals' roster was brought within the required 21 men limit by the release of Ray Bragg, a catcher to the Troy club of the New York State league. It was announced last night, Bragg came to Boston from the Lawrence New England league club. The Braves list does not include Charles Evers, Bill Martin, who are on the injured list. Pitcher George Davis and Lowe, a short stop from Dartmouth college, who will join the team in June, and Fred Mitchell, who has been designated scout.

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
New England League  
All games postponed—rain.

**American League**  
Chicago 4, Detroit 1.  
Washington 6, Philadelphia 1.  
Other games postponed, (rain.)

**National League**  
New York-Boston—wet grounds.  
Brooklyn 2, Philadelphia 1.  
Chicago 4, Cincinnati 1.  
St. Louis 6, Cincinnati 1.

**Federal League**  
Kansas City 2, Baltimore 0.  
Other games postponed, (rain.)

**DEATHS**  
McDUGAL—Mrs. Mary McDugal, widow of Allan McDugal, died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital, aged 55 years. She leaves four sisters, Mrs. Margaret Green, Mrs. P. J. Hoad of Dorchester, David Barry of Marlborough and Catherine Grancy of New York city. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

**SAYLES**—Ora Judd, son of Mrs. L. H. Sayles of this city died April 27 in Biddeford, Me., aged 37 years.

**SHUTE**—Mrs. Ann S. Shute died last night at the home of her son, Oliver J. Shute, 35 Eaton street, at the advanced age of 90 years. She was survived by three sons, Oliver J., Edward H. and Alfred of Chicago, and by seven grandchildren.

**MEER**—Thomas Meer, aged 77 years, a resident of Tewksbury for over 55 years, died this morning at his home. He is survived by a wife Mary, three sons, John, Thomas and Frank, and four daughters, Mrs. David O'Connell and Miss Mary A. Meer, two sisters, Mrs. Catherine Loden and Mrs. Mary Kiron, both of Belvedere, Ill., and three nephews, Michael and Patrick of Chicago.

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## HANDICAP TRACK MEET

SEVERAL TITLEHOLDERS AMONG ATHLETES WHO COMPETED AT PRINCETON, N. J. TODAY

PRINCETON, N. J., May 1.—Several titleholders among the college, school and club athletes who competed here today in Princeton's second annual handicap track meet. There were a total entry list of 300. Indications in the early morning hours were for fair weather.

The following quarter, half and one mile runs promised the greatest competition. In these races Princeton's champion two mile relay team, Monroe, Hayes, Mackenzie and Atha, had such opponents as Marshall, Lincoln, Lockwood and Kaufman, the Pennsylvania stars; Gissing of the Irish-American A. C. was set at scratch in the half mile event as was Deane in the mile and two mile runs.

Good marks also were expected in the hurdles. The entries included J. J. Elmer, Irish-American A. C., Teragon and Kaufman, Penna. Stewart, Princeton and High, Boston. Elmer and Ferguson ran from scratch.

The half mile and one mile events were not so well represented as the track, although there were a few star performers entered. Ryan and McGrath of the Irish-American A. C. competed in the shot-put and hammer throw.

**LEAGUE STANDINGS**  
American League  
Detroit 12, Boston 10, Chicago 8, Philadelphia 7, St. Louis 6, Cleveland 5, Cincinnati 4, Pittsburgh 3, New York 2, Washington 1.

**National League**  
Philadelphia 11, Cincinnati 9, St. Louis 8, Boston 7, Brooklyn 6, Pittsburgh 5, New York 4, Chicago 3, Cleveland 2, Washington 1.

**Federal League**  
Newark 10, Chicago 8, Brooklyn 7, Kansas City 6, Buffalo 5, Baltimore 4, St. Louis 3.

**GRAND CIRCUIT GETS FEATURE**  
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 1.—The racing event of the Grand Circuit, will be held at Grand Rapids this year. It has been awarded the Furgate City Driving club for its harness racing track. The event will be held on May 5 and 6, June 5 and 6, July 5 and 6, August 5 and 6, September 5 and 6, and October 5 and 6.

**REINSTATEMENT DENIED**  
APPLICATION OF KAFFEY TURNED DOWN BY THE NATIONAL BASEBALL COMMISSION  
CINCINNATI, O., May 1.—The National baseball commission today refused the application of Kaffey for reinstatement. Kaffey was a former National league player, who signed a New York National league contract on last Thursday.

**KENNY'S CONDITION BAD**  
HE HAS UNDERGONE ANOTHER OPERATION AND STILL ANOTHER IS NECESSARY  
John J. Kenny, the young man who was injured in the explosion at the Vocational school, has undergone another surgical operation at St. John's hospital. A part of the bone removed from the shoulder has been removed, but the end of the bone is still hard and there is no flesh to cover



# IRELAND IS WITH FRANCE

## Delegation of A. O. H. Issues Address of Sympathy to President Poincare and Cardinal Amette

PARIS, May 1.—T. P. O'Connor and Joseph Devlin, president of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, headed a delegation composed of prominent members of the Irish party in the British parliament which was received yesterday by President Poincare and Cardinal Amette, archbishop of Paris.

The delegates came to Paris to voice Ireland's sympathy with France in the present war. The delegation was presented to President Poincare in the Elysee palace.

### Friend of Celts

Joseph Devlin read the address which said in part:

"Ireland has always considered France the greatest Celtic nation. France always has granted asylum to exiled Irish chieftains. Ireland truly is grateful. Now the ancient quarrel with England has been settled, Ireland is fighting with England, fighting as always, for liberty and the rights of small nations, and for universal justice. Ireland today stands by France in her great struggle against invasion by a militarist nation.

"All Ireland joins today in the cry 'Vive la France!'

President Poincare was deeply touched by the address and expressed himself as greatly pleased over the assurance that Ireland sympathizes with his country.

The address made to Cardinal Amette was by far the strongest utterance yet made by a Catholic organization on the present war. In part it read:

"The Ancient Order of Hibernians, in convention assembled, resolved to offer through the Cardinal Amette its expression of their profound sympathy for France in this hour of dark trial. The ties between Ireland and France have existed for ages. Through the darkest hours of our persecution and suffering we have always kept dreaming that help would come from France.

## TRUNK MYSTERY SOLVED

TRUNK BEARING LOWELL ADDRESS WASHED FROM DUMP IN BOSTON

The mystery surrounding the discovery of a trunk in the marshes of the Mystic river early yesterday morning, which was found after investigation on account of the name and address of a Lowell woman written on a scrap of paper inside, has been cleared and there was neither suicide nor murder connected with it.

Miss Mary O'Keefe of 151 East Merrimack street whose name was written on a piece of paper found in the trunk, stated that she knew no one by the name of Mary or P. M. Doherty. The Boston immigration officer was visited by the Boston police and it was learned that a Marie Doherty, 24, arrived in Boston from Queenstown, Ireland on May 7 of last year. The records showed that her baggage was sent to the home of Mrs. J. P. Sullivan, cousin, of 194 Madison street, Malden.

When Mrs. Sullivan was interviewed, she explained the matter as follows: "Miss Doherty is my cousin. She is working for a family on Wyomissing avenue, Melrose. When she came here from Ireland, two years ago, she left her trunk at my home. When I saw her last I asked her when she was going to take the trunk away. She said she would do so some time, but that if it was in my way to throw it out. She was going to move and she got ready, so last night my husband took Marie's trunk and threw it in a dump near the river. I suppose the tide rose and carried it out into the stream where it was found three hours later."

A good wheelbarrow, \$3.50, at the Thompson Hardware Co.

## ABSTAIN FROM SMOKING

HUNGARIAN PEOPLE URGED TO GIVE MONEY SAID TO FUND FOR INVALID SOLDIERS

VENICE, May 1.—Throughout Hungary today is being observed as "abstain from smoking" day. Every smoker will be expected to abstain from using either pipe, cigar or cigarette and to give the money thus saved to a fund for invalid soldiers.

## PAINT & VARNISH BRUSHES

ROUND, FLAT AND OVAL

Petrograd, Russia, is the greatest bristle market in the world. Next to Russian bristles in quality, are German bristles, which are very similar in character.

German bristles are not all grown in Germany, many of them being obtained in Poland and vicinity in the crude state, and assorted and packed in establishments in Eastern Germany. Leipzig is the great German market for bristles. France produces only white or light colored bristles in marketable quantities. India bristles are black in color and very stiff. American bristles are all soft and short, being taken from young hogs; they are not adapted to use in paint or varnish brushes.

Bristle prices were never known to be as high as at present; but this condition can be easily understood when we consider the sources of supply. Before buying your brushes, visit Coburn's and inspect the qualities of the bristles, then compare Coburn prices with those asked elsewhere.

Paint and Varnish Brushes. 7c to \$3.66  
Whitewash Brushes. 22c to \$7.12

C. B. Coburn Co. Free City Motor Delivery  
53 MARKET STREET.

## THE MILITARY COMPANIES

PREPARING FOR FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION - NOTES FROM THE ARMOY

It was announced this week at the state armory in Westford street that the matter of transporting the troops to Lowell on July 5th for the big military celebration to be held under the auspices of the Second battalion of the Sixth regiment was being taken up by the adjutant-general of the state, and this bit of news was cheerfully received for it means that a large number of out-of-town companies will come here on the above mentioned date.

Major Stevens, marshal of the military division in the parade, has formulated plans by which it is believed the entire Sixth and Eighth regiments will be in attendance and both regiments will come to this city on the Saturday before the celebration and encamp in the vicinity of Lowell. If the state is willing to supply ammunition a sham battle will be staged on the camping grounds.

All the troops will be fed at the expense of the city, the money to be taken out of the appropriation of \$3,000. Cash prizes are to be given to the companies making the best appearance in the line of parade, and the judges will be Lieut. J. H. McGinness and Lieut. Gray, U. S. A., Inspector of Inspectors for Massachusetts.

The local companies of the M. V. M. have received notification to the effect that the annual encampment of the Sixth regiment will be held from Aug. 8 to Aug. 15 inclusive, the chances favoring the camp being located at West Barnstable. The Ninth regiment will encamp probably at Barnstable or Middleboro from July 18 to 25 inclusive.

The local officers of the Sixth regiment will attend the council of officers which will be held at the armory of Co. I at Concord on Monday, May 30. In connection with the council, dedication exercises will be held at the memorial to the late Col. Cyrus H. Cook at Sleepy Hollow cemetery.

The honor roll of the men who made 90 or over at the indoor shoot contains the name of two Lowell men, Muscland Greely, 31, and Sergt. Dyer, 21, both of Company K.

A short time ago an item appeared in The Sun's military news to the effect that young men were wanted to join the militia and as a result the local companies have recruited as follows: Company M, seven; Company K, two; and Company G and C, one each. A school for the non-commissioned officers of the Second battalion of this city will be held at the armory Monday evening. The subject will be "War Games."

The members of Company G will hold a smoker at its quarters Thursday evening. An entertainment program will be given and a buffet luncheon will be served.

The Thompson Hardware Co. are agents for the Luther Burbank seeds.

## FOR ASSAULTING LAWYER

WARRANT AGAINST WATCH AND WARD SOCIETY SECRETARY—QUESTIONABLE VISIT TO HOTEL

BOSTON, May 1.—In a hearing replete with sensational incidents, Rev. J. Frank Chase, secretary of the New England Watch and Ward society, stated on the witness stand yesterday that he had once spent some time in a room of the Castle Square hotel with a woman, not his wife, and had drank liquor there.

The accusation was made during a scathing cross examination of Secretary Chase by John P. Feeley, counsel for Attorney John J. Cronin, who charged Mr. Chase with assault and battery.

In a statement made later Secretary Chase said that the woman was an employee of the Watch and Ward society, who accompanied him to the hotel in order to secure evidence of conditions. This statement was corroborated by President Frederick B. Allen of the society, and the board of directors have announced that they are giving the secretary their strongest support.

After a number of witnesses had testified to seeing Mr. Chase assault Attorney Cronin, Judge Thomas Dowd of the police court found probable cause, and ordered that a summons be issued for the appearance of Mr. Chase next Wednesday.

A counter charge, brought by Mr. Chase against Attorney Cronin for slander was taken under advisement by Judge Dowd.

## 52 ACTS OF HEROISM

AWARDS BY CARNEGIE HERO FUND COMMISSION—FOUR HEROES IN THE BAY STATE

PITTSBURGH, May 1.—The Carnegie Hero Fund commission awarded here yesterday 52 acts of heroism in many sections of the country. In two cases gold medals were awarded; in 14 cases silver medals and in 36 bronze medals.

Ten of the heroes lost their lives and to the dependents of four of these pensions aggregating \$2760 a year were granted; to the dependents of five of the others who lost their lives sums totaling \$2500 to be applied subject to the direction of the commission in various ways, were granted.

In addition to three money grants, in 13 cases sums aggregating \$25,000 were appropriated for educational purposes, payments to be made as needed and approved; and in 29 cases awards aggregating \$30,500 were made to be applied toward the purchase of homes and to other worthy purposes.

The awards for the state of Massachusetts are as follows:

Lucien Fontaine, Jr., Southbridge, Mass., aged 15; saved Edward Duquette from drowning March 2, 1914.

Joseph A. McCabe, 60 Byron street, East Boston, Mass., aged 47; saved Joseph A. Hyman, Jr., and William R. Baker from drowning, Jan. 15, 1914.

Shirley E. Gardner, Pittsfield, Mass., aged 12; saved 2-year old William H. McNamara from drowning in Housatonic river April 14, 1914.

Daniel F. Sweeney, New York City; aged 26; saved Franklin Stoen, Augusta Stoen and baby from runaway at Revere, Mass., July 12, 1914.

Viola M. Brunelle, Ware, Mass., aged 12; saved George E. Wahlen from drowning at Ware July 15, 1914.

The only gold medals awarded were to Charles E. Collins, Frederick B. Allen and Arthur B. Gendy, of Boston, Tex., who helped save two men from a cave-in, working for hours at imminent risk of another cave-in that would have killed them.

# BRILLIANT DASH BY THE CANADIANS IN FLANDERS

OTTAWA, Ont., May 1.—How the Canadians faced the German advance in the recent bloody fighting in Flanders, is described at great length in a communication from Sir Max Aitken, the Canadian record officer, dated by the war office in London. The court describes how the Canadians, the majority of them raw recruits, met the German rush after the latter had broken the applying lines and how, although greatly outnumbered, they succeeded, with heavy losses, in recovering four British guns and much ground by a brilliant dash. The brunt of the early fighting, the account says, fell to the Third brigade.

"On April 22," the account continues, "the Canadian division held a line of roughly five thousand yards, extending from a northwestern direction from the Ypres-Roulers railway to the Ypres-Poelouelle road and connecting at its terminus with the French troops.

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# SHIP WITH 300 ABOARD STRUCK BY GIANT WAVE

SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.—Three hundred passengers on the steamer Harvard, on route from San Pedro to San Francisco, whose lives were in danger, when the vessel was struck by a giant wave that badly damaged the second deck, were congratulating themselves today on their safe return to port. Tons of water dived through the gap opened by the wave and the ship was partially flooded. The passengers were thrown into the water and the Harvard was forced to put back to San Pedro.

Several vessels due to arrive yesterday had not put in an appearance early today, having been driven far out to sea by the storm of the last night. The ship was in tow of the tugboat Edgar H. Vance, which was forced by the heavy seas to cut loose, leaving the tug to battle with the storm.

The steamer Northern Pacific from Astoria to San Francisco, carrying 150 passengers was compelled to leave.

Reino Beach, a resort in southern California, was damaged to the extent of \$20,000 by waves kicked up by a sixty mile gale.

Reports from the citrus belt of California told of moderate temperatures and hope was expressed by growers that damage to oranges and lemons would be confined to that done by the high winds.

Heavy snows in the Sierras and in Nevada did material damage and in eastern Oregon it was reported thirty thousand sheep had been destroyed.

# "DEAD" MAN APPEARS

Wants Money Judge Awarded to His Sons—Remarkable Story of Wanderings—Lost Fortunes

BOSTON, May 1.—Charles C. Jones, aged 61, told a remarkable story yesterday in the supreme court of his wanderings, the enjoyment of the luxuries of prosperity and the pangs of poverty and disclosing the payment of more than \$22,000 to others on the supposition that he had been dead for years.

He now seeks to set aside a decree of Judge Flint of the Norfolk probate court, made in 1901, ordering a distribution of his share, amounting to \$12,754.91, of his mother's estate, to his sons on the representation by the latter that he had been dead several years.

It also became known that insurance of \$10,000 had been paid to his first wife under the apprehension that he was not living.

He is a son of John Coffin Jones, at one time a large shipping owner, who died in 1881 in Jamaica Plain, leaving a large estate to his wife, Hannah Jones, and her six children. A substantial part of the estate was placed in trust, one of the trustees being James J. Storrow, father of the well-known broker and financier, for the benefit of the widow.

After the death of his father, Charles went to Duluth in 1885, having \$20,000 and had received his share of his father's estate. He secured a position in a bank there, married a young woman in 1871 and built a home. In the panic of 1873 the bank failed and he was out of employment.

He worked as a broker for a while and then lost his home by fire and suffered financial losses. Unable to support his wife and two children, they went to Chicago, where he obtained a job in a sawmill and while in that employment lost two fingers on his left hand.

Discouraged, he came to Boston to seek aid from his well-to-do relatives, one sister being the wife of Robert F. Clark, a broker, who was chairman of the board of police for years, and the other a Mrs. Pratt. His wife and children died in Syracuse, a cholera epidemic in business with Mr. Clark.

The sisters, he alleges, agreed to pay his way to Australia and he sailed for that country, where he became a prospector for gold. He kept up a correspondence with his brother John and wrote several times to his wife, receiving replies from both, but the time came when they ceased to reply.

Lost \$30,000 in Shipwreck

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From Java he went to Siam, where he engaged in prospecting until 1888 or 1889, and then returned to Manila. As one of the Philippine scouts he took part in the war between the United States and Spain and was assigned to a position on the staff of Gen. Chaffee.

With the allied troops he fought in the Boxer rebellion in Peking. Subsequently he went to Siam again and, having read in a newspaper the name of James J. Storrow in connection with some event in New York, he wrote to him and learned that Mr. Storrow, the original trustee of his father's estate, was dead; that his mother was dead, and that his share of her estate had been distributed among his children in the belief that he had died several years before.

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## CLASSIFIED ADS.

Received Too Late for Classification

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John Coffin Jones, late of Braintree, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Thomas W. Sheehan, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eleventh day of May, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness: Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen. W. E. ROGERS, Esquire, Clerk of said Court.

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TAXATION REFORM NEEDED

The question of taxation is a vast and momentous one for Massachusetts and it seems to be admitted on all sides that immediate reform is imperative. On such a question, one cannot expect general agreement on the terms of a reforming law or the need of a possible constitutional amendment, but the state is aroused to the evils of existing systems as never before. Even though Governor Walsh may not be successful in his present efforts for reform, he has done a great service in emphasizing some phases of what may be called "the taxation crisis."

Speaking before the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange some weeks ago, Tax Commissioner Trefry said that the present Massachusetts system tends to "general demoralization." He explained that it is the cause of disproportionate taxes on the income of property, of driving large amounts of property into concealment, of promoting the colonization of owners of much property in a few favored towns, of causing capital to migrate from the state, of placing burdens on real estate and of many other evils. Every one of these statements is supported by facts by those who seek legislative reform.

Some typical cases mentioned by the Massachusetts Tax Association in a recent pamphlet on the subject serve to illustrate the faults of the present system. To quote:

"The average tax rate in Massachusetts is nearly \$20 per \$1,000. Assuming that the gross annual income from real estate is 10 per cent. of its value, a \$1,000 house would yield \$100 and pay a \$20 tax, or 20 per cent. of its income. A \$1,000 1 per cent. bond would yield \$10 and pay a \$20 tax or 20 per cent. of its income, which would approximate confiscation."

"Now the general property tax affects a typical estate in Massachusetts was recently considered by the state tax department. The typical estate included a piece of real estate in Massachusetts, a mortgage on real estate in Massachusetts, some bonds of the state of New York, shares of stock in the Pennsylvania railroad, some cash on deposit in a trust company in Massachusetts and some bonds of a Maine corporation."

"All of the property was taxable in Massachusetts. In the town which has a \$20 tax rate, 17 per cent. of the income would have been absorbed in taxation in 1914. In the town where the tax rate is \$26, 61 per cent. of the income would have been absorbed in taxation."

The result of the conditions which these instances illustrate is that "almost five billions of taxable personal property are not assessed" and that in the words of Professor Bullock of Harvard "one hundred millions alone are this year leaving the state for states where the laws are less oppressive." Another evil mentioned more than once by Governor Walsh is the concentration of personal property in a small number of wealthy towns where the rates are low. Tax rates in the cities and towns of Massachusetts run all the way from \$3 to \$26. The states on all sides of us have reformed their taxation systems in recent years, and there is every inducement for manufacturers and property owners to leave Massachusetts. The defects of our system are apparent from the acknowledged fact that it has never been fully enforced. To ignore certain evasions of the law has seemed for years the lesser of two evils.

The support of the measures advocated by Governor Walsh indicates that taxation reform is not now regarded as a partisan measure. Leading men of business, professional and public life have come to the front to support some remedial action at this session of the legislature. Last year a constitutional amendment went through the legislature, and this year some definite plans have been advanced, the success of which would protect Massachusetts and its citizens. In the face of a need which none deny, it is most imperative that our legislators attack this most important question sincerely and intelligently. If taxation reform be neglected, it will surely be one of the leading issues during the next campaign.

A PARALLEL CASE

From time to time The Sun has called attention to the contagious hospital plans of Manchester, N. H., and to similarities between the situation in the New Hampshire city and in Lowell. Without having the state law of Massachusetts as an incentive, some Manchester citizens conceived the idea of agitating such an institution a few years ago. The movement was started with general enthusiasm, but when a site was broached, selfish, personal and political opposition cropped out on all sides, and the city officials took the easier way out of the trouble by doing nothing concerning it. Meanwhile support for the project came from unexpected quarters, and it was also supported by the press.

At last Manchester has done something definite towards the erection of a contagious hospital, though there is still time for further dilly-dallying. Last Tuesday the Manchester city council rescinded its former vote to authorize a bond issue of \$150,000 for the building and equipment of a garbage destructor plant, and instead insisted upon an adequate hospital for the care of contagious diseases. The destructor plant was one of the special hobbies of Mayor Spaulding, but with reflection the city council went on record as declaring that the contagious hospital comes first.

Commenting on the situation, the Manchester Leader, which has worked long and consistently for a contagious hospital, says:

"Certainly the city is in sad need of an adequate contagious hospital, and it is well that provision has been made for that, even though the action has involved the sacrifice of the enabling resolution over the mayor's veto. It is equally obvious that, as an up-to-date city, Manchester needs a modern method of disposing of garbage, and that the destructor plant which Mayor Spaulding had so enthusiastically advocated and arrangements for which the city had so readily promised, seemed to afford promise of the desired result."

The council has smothered all tradition and established a precedent. In these closing days of its existence as a body, by rescinding its former vote to authorize a bond issue of \$150,000 for the building and equipment of a destructor plant, it has insisted upon a new and adequate hospital for the care and treatment of contagious diseases. Now, let me ask the work of bringing this hospital into tangible being. There is no knowing at what hour the city may need the building and the building which it will afford. Let us hope that the day of that need is very distant, but in the meantime, let us prepare for emergencies in the form of epidemics, of the possibility of which we are only too well aware. Haste the hospital!

This is sound advice which is just as applicable to Lowell as to Manchester. If needed in the northern city, we will have lost a companion city, so far as municipal cohesiveness and luck of harmony is concerned, but we may be gainers from the object lesson so strongly, if tardily, given.

PRIZE POEMS

A very remarkable contrast is afforded in the study of two so-called "prize poems" on certain phases of the

FALL RIVER LINE

The New Haven company has definitely announced its intention of selling its steamboat lines, and Fall River is intensely interested, for there is a possibility that the once famous Fall River line may become a thing of the past. For some little while yet, the New Haven railroad will operate the Sound lines; it has asked the interstate commerce commission for a hearing in order to get permission to do so, but it will undoubtedly sell its interests in water transportation at the earliest opportune time. This change of policy is due partly to the demands of the public and partly to the fact that the New Haven has been unable to make the Fall River line pay. A soundly-organized company in charge of water transportation might develop this and other lines wonderfully, but the New Haven had too many interests outside of railroad property, with its regrettable results. It is to be hoped that when the Fall River line changes hands, it will be to face a new era of prosperity under sound and progressive management.

THE BLESSED RAIN

Coleridge did not exaggerate when he declared that the rain is "beloved from pole to pole," for though we may grumble when we sail out into its stinging lines, with or without umbrella, rubbers, etc., we miss it indeed when the earth thirsts and the growing things grow pale and droop. This year, April almost disappointed us, but as if to make up for lost time, it gathered all its clouds together at the finish and sent down a veritable deluge. And there was no grumbling, for everybody knew that the grass, shrubs, trees and seeds were waiting for it.

SEE AND HEARD

He who can always correctly gauge the current of public opinion will have no trouble in getting into the tide of prosperity.

THE GAME OF LIFE

Mother was spanking little Charlie. Charlie yelled at the first spank, then called, "Mother! Wait! We'll make a game of it. You see how hard you can spank and I'll see how long I can keep from crying!"

BELINDA'S VANITY

Belinda was a colored domestic in the employ of a Mrs. James. Recently a camp meeting was announced to take place in a grove near by, and a few days before the opening, Belinda appeared before her mistress looking some concerned.

LADY BIG WELCOME

A discovery that the lady bug is the natural enemy of the tent caterpillar has been made by certain observers. They have been watching some time ago and after careful watching, they now announce it, according to a writer in the Fall River News. Their attention was first called to the subject by seeing lady bugs in numbers about their apple trees, where within the past few days the tent caterpillars had just hatched out. As they themselves went after the caterpillars, they saw that the lady bugs were at the same business, but that besides killing them, the lady bug ate them. At one time they saw a lady bug seize, kill and eat

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placed in a little box, and allowed to stay uncovered where the outside atmosphere will reach it, will indicate very accurately the probable condition of the weather for several hours in advance. When the tobacco becomes damp and sticky it is safe betting that rain will come for a number of hours, very frequently for as much as from twenty-four to thirty-six hours.

Somebody lied about the Dardanelles, but time is the best historian.

Be happy! May is here, and so are we.

CONFIRMING THE SCRIPTURES

There is a negro Sunday school on the South Side, where the little Rastuses and Gawdies Washingtons are being brought up to appreciate the treasure trove of the Scriptures. The teacher was calling upon her little "scholars" for Bible verses and, as was natural, each child tried to acquit himself with as little effort as possible. "Well, Sammy, let us have your verse," said the teacher.

THE TOBACCO BAROMETER

One of the best and simplest barometers is said to be had in a little scrap of tobacco, says an exchange. Moisture in the atmosphere indicates the condition of the weather likely to take place during the next few hours. If the air is dry, there is little or no danger of precipitation, and if the air is full to any degree there is apt to be a fall in the weather. It is quite difficult to detect the moisture in our atmosphere at times, and some material easily influenced by moisture is a subject of ordinary scrap smoking tobacco is used to reveal the true condition. Tobacco is very dry when it is dry, and it is not dry unless the atmosphere is quite free from moisture. A piece of ordinary scrap smoking tobacco

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To Mr. and Mrs. Hippolyte Sylva of 1 Brown's court, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gradalski of 17 Lakeview avenue, a son.  
21—To Mr. and Mrs. Adam Zdanov of 607 Charles street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lopez of 17 Angle street, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah F. Leary of 39 Pleasant street, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Chackert of 33 Lakeview avenue, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Conway of 13 Whipple street, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lamoneau of 106 Staples street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Gilbert of 114 So. Walker street, a daughter.  
22—To Mr. and Mrs. Stasyl Polukka of 14 Auburn street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Connelley of 24 Beaulieu street, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Sargent of 92 Dummer street, a daughter.  
23—To Mr. and Mrs. William J. Murphy of 74 Agawam street, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Murphy of 161 Crosby street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. George Cummings of 168 Crawford street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Onesime Rochette of 175 Perkins street, a daughter.  
24—To Mr. and Mrs. Mahabell Bekis of 22 Howe street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Jaskrab of 48 Lakeview avenue, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Homer Froehlich of 13 Common street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Ignaz Wovels of 111 East Merrimack street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly of 18 Bridge street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. James Kelly of 335 Broadway, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Ramon of 5 Grand street, a daughter.  
25—To Mr. and Mrs. Clayton B. Stoddard of 1251 Middlesex street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. James Mulligan of 585 Central street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tibbels of 4 Goward's court, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Deschene of 64 Austin street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Austin Liddy of 184 Crosby street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Adeley J. Cyr of 31 Ash street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Quebec of 48 Cross street, a daughter.  
26—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stolt of 9 Cedar street, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred S. Cady of 30 Dover street, a son.  
27—To Mr. and Mrs. William Galvin of 25 Lawrence street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Giuseppe Niell of 223 Gorham street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Sterling B. Crosby of 141 Grand street, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Omer Paineclaud of 53 Boisvert street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Sullivan of 125 Warren street, a son.  
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Many of the modish colors this season are admittedly difficult to wear by the average woman. Take sand and mauve for example, can you imagine a more sorrowful combination than those on a woman with a sallow or dull complexion? And the quality Dolly Varden frocks, fancy a woman thus clad, with a flourishing crop of wrinkles or pimples.

Where a woman has inherited a clear, unblemished complexion, or by her own well directed efforts possesses a skin of enviable beauty, she need not worry herself over fashion's dictates in style and colors for the world is hers.

Far too many women today rely upon artificial aids. To be sure, these have their place and will always survive, but it is folly to rely wholly upon them. Why not cultivate legitimate beauty? Powder covers up blemishes, takes, one or two cups before breakfast, and sometimes emphasizes them. Last, between meals and at bedtime.

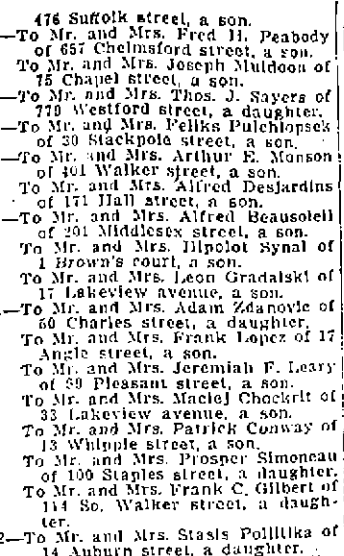
Dr. Sullivan, of Lawrence, Was Kept Away Last Night by the Storm—Social Enjoyed in St. Peter's Parish

An enjoyable smoke talk was given under the auspices of the Holy Name society of St. Peter's church last night, the affair being held in the parochial school. The attendance was large, and although the speaker of the evening, Dr. M. F. Sullivan, of Lawrence, was unable to be present, a most enjoyable evening was spent.

Refreshments were served and a delightful entertainment program consisting of the following numbers, was carried out to the satisfaction of all: Thomas A. Scanlon, piano selections; Patrick McGarrick, songs; John A. Quinn, songs; James Downing, songs; James Daly, recitation. The committee in charge consisted of the following: Edward Quinlan, chairman; Benjamin Riley, John A. Watson and Bernard Ward.

REPORT OF BIRTHS

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To Mr. and Mrs. John Tyrrell of 179 Fayette street, a daughter.  
2—To Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius J. Sullivan of 14 Corbett street, a son.  
4—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Pearson of 31 Middlesex street, a daughter.  
5—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Flanagan of 16 Fernald street, a daughter.  
6—To Mr. and Mrs. Marquis Larrey of 105 Wilder street, a daughter.  
12—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Maher of 15 Pollard street, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Connelley of 46 June street, a daughter.  
13—To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Emerson of 311 Lincoln street, a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Henri Lancel of 115 Mt. Washington street, a son.  
14—To Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Jesus of 150...



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## PRINCETON CLUB ANNUAL



THOMAS MCGUANE  
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MADLINE BOLAND  
Soloist

### Enjoyable Entertainment at Associate Hall—Fine Musical Program and Large Attendance

The annual minstrel show and dance conducted by the Princeton club at Associate hall last night was a great success, and long before the start of the first number on the minstrel program, over 1400 people were in attendance. The hall was handsomely decorated for the occasion with multi-colored bunting, and the stage background, arranged in sunburst effect with the club colors, orange and black, presented a novel appearance. The special footlights, with dimming and high light effects, proved a distinct feature in completing the color scheme, while myriads of incandescents suspended at intervals around the hall also added to the splendor.

Miner's orchestra furnished the music both for the minstrel show and the dance which followed, with Prof. Gilchrist at the piano. As interloper, in the minstrel production, J. Walter Foye was entirely in his element and carried out his part like a professional. He was well supported by the entire cast. The solo parts left nothing to be desired, in both the classical and popular music, and the work of the artists was roundly applauded. The work of the ends was also especially pleasing, and their songs and timely witticisms kept the audience in good humor throughout the program.

The opening number "Flow On" was by the chorus, with the solo, beautifully rendered by Miss Marion Nolan. George "Babe" Rogers, the well known cabaret artist followed with "Everybody Rag With Me" and he had to respond to an encore. Jackson Palmer sang "Let Me Like a Soldier Fall" and for an encore he rendered "Little Grey Home in the West," in pleasing voice. "Night Time Down in Dixie Land," as rendered by Miss May Bradley, won great applause, and this popular young lady was obliged to respond to several encores before regaining her seat. Walter Clough sang "You Are the Rose of My Heart" in an artistic manner, and Herbert McKenzie gave a well received "Perfect Day." Miss Madeline Boland, who is to appear at Keith's theatre next Sunday evening was given an ovation when she stepped to the footlights. Miss Boland was in excellent voice, and her selections, "Don't Tell the Folks at Home" and "Perfect Day" were well received. Miss McCashin followed in an end song, "All Aboard for Dixie," and John McPadden sang "Dublin Bay," and Arthur Foye "Virginia Lee" while the solo in the finale was sustained by James McNally. The closing number, a popular musical score, now being sung by leading comic opera companies, with words written to the music by the musical director, William Way, was one of the popular features of the program.

Dancing was started soon after 3.30 o'clock and seldom has the hall witnessed a more joyous assembly. The dance continued till midnight.

The personnel of the chorus was as follows: Grace Giblin, Margaret Morgan, Annie McNulty, Louise Nugent, M. Peterson, G. Ready, A. Burrows, M. Mills, F. Nolan, M. Ready, Susan Carrige, Mabel LaClair, Odel Gannon, Minnie Eastham, G. Shaw, G. McCarthy, L. McPherson, C. Cox, A. Rinswood, M. McNulty, L. Leona, M. Ranswood, Sophie Blakely, Julia Ward, M. Cawler, L. Collett, M. Moley, F. McNulty, M. Lawrence, M. Dillon.

Those to whom credit for the success of the affair is due were: General manager, Thomas McGuane; assistant general manager, Thomas Tarry; floor director, Charles Slawey; assistant floor directors, John McCabe and Raymond Foye; chief aids, Fred Powers and Charles McKenzie; aids, Ray Foye, Patrick McCarthy, Charles Slawey, Thomas Tarry, John McKenna, James Monahan, Harry McNeil, Fred Powers, William Ryan, Allan Marston, Jas. Quinn, William Foye, Charles McKenzie, Walter Foye, John McCabe, Andrew Burns, Jr., George Donohue, Edward McKinley, William Manning, Andrew Burns, Sr., Thomas McGuane, Herbert McKenzie, John H. Nolan, James Burns, William Breen, J. W. Kelly.

Reception committee: William Foye, chairman; William Grant, Gus McKee, Frank Golden, Thomas McGarr, William Breen, J. W. Kelly.

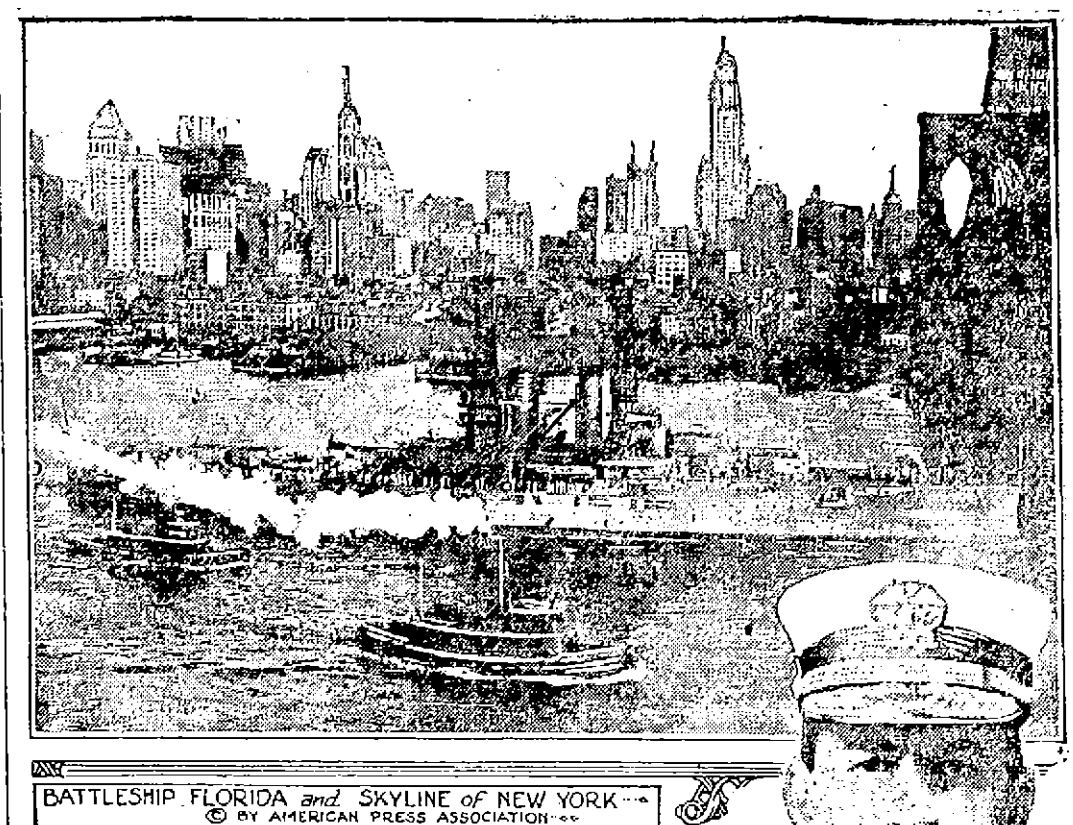
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## BATTLESHIPS WILL ARRIVE IN NEW YORK ON MAY 8 FOR GREAT FLEET REVIEW



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NEW YORK, May 1.—This city is getting ready for the great review of the Atlantic battleship fleet to be held in the North river on May 18. President Wilson and all the members of his cabinet will be here. The battleships scheduled to participate in this review will arrive in the North river May 8. The submarine flotilla and auxiliary division are scheduled to arrive the following day, and the flotilla of destroyers will assemble on May 12. There will be sixty-five vessels in the review.

## THE SPELLBINDER

If any doubt existed as to how little interest the lot-owners of the Edison cemetery as a whole, took in Rep. Lewis' bill to have the affairs of the public cemeteries governed by a board of trustees, it must have been dispelled after last Wednesday's meeting of lot-owners called by Rep. Lewis to talk over the law and what it meant to the public right of the matter. But if the phraseology of the bill is ever attacked it will be the courts and not Rep. Lewis who will be called upon to interpret it officially.

**The Future Tax-Rate**  
Only a few days ago Mayor Murphy informed the public that the several white ways would mean an increase in the tax-rate for the next year of about 30 cents. The contagious hospital, the new high school and the Parkview bridge will also mean an increase in the tax-rate. And now like Banquo's ghost comes that time honored temporary loan which the municipal council of the past year slanted it would take care of, but which from all appearances it has not. On July 1st, the city must pay off \$200,000 on the outstanding temporary loan, which will also mean an increase in the tax-rate. The total of all temporary loans outstanding against the city at present is \$1,151,507.65, which of course includes the \$100,000 or more borrowed this year. Thus if any member of the council or any candidate should ever approach you with propositions to reduce the tax rate or assurances that if elected he will do it, don't take him seriously because it can't be done. Approximately every additional expenditure of \$9000 boosts the tax rate just 10 cents, whether the expenditure be for white ways, Fourth of July celebrations, city automobiles or paying back loans.

**The Traffic Rules Matter**  
"It would appear that the board of trade don't cut much figure with the present city government," said a Middle street dealer to the writer a few days ago. "Nine months ago," he continued, "the board sent up a proposition to amend the traffic rules so as to relieve the congestion in Middle street which is at present a public parking place rather than a public thoroughfare and as yet nothing has been done."

**Approving Bills**  
Lawyer Howard testifying in his suit against former Commissioner Brown, Thursday, stated that before Mr. Brown left the position of commissioner of finance he, Mr. Brown, asked Mr. Howard to send a receipted bill for his services in the Knox case to the city, and that he would have the bill approved by the auditor. Witness said he refused to do as asked by Mr. Brown for he knew the city could not legally pay the bill.

Just what that meant is a matter of inference but in justice to City Auditor Falke it should be said that if there was any intention to have him commit the city illegally, neither the former commissioner nor the entire city council could "have" the auditor.

**Car Sprinkler Conductor**  
A story is going the rounds that the first conductor placed in charge of a street car sprinkler, thereby replacing a boy, a few days ago threw up his job after one day's experience, as the job was too much like work for him, compared with the comparatively easy task of collecting fares and announcing stops.

**Ladies' Auxiliary, A.O.H.**  
All members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A.O.H., are requested to meet in their hall on Sunday evening, May 2, sharp to take action on the death of our late sister, Julia Beardon.  
CATHARINE A. GAFFNEY, Pres.  
CATHARINE J. GOGGIN, Sec.

## TWO BUNCO MEN FOILED

### Edmund Brickett of Dover Street Inveigled by Two Sharps, But Escaped From Their Clutches

Edmund Brickett, of 65 Dover street, a retired business man, has reported to the police that an attempt was recently made by two strangers to swindle him out of a sum of money. A young man called at Mr. Brickett's home and pretended to be interested in real estate, owned by Mr. Brickett. After a short conversation the stranger invited Mr. Brickett to his room on Church street and the Lowell mail company to go for the purpose of inspecting some books.

## AT POINT OF GUN FAMOUS AVIATOR

### Bandit Makes Hub Clerk Fill Orders—Escapes With \$60

BOSTON, May 1.—After forcing the lone clerk of the Santa Clara Wine company, 130 Washington street, to give up, at the point of a pistol, the \$60 in the cash registers shortly before 11 o'clock last night, a bandit made change for several customers who entered the store after he had locked the door and departed. After locking the clerk in the basement.

With his arms folded, the hold-up man kept his automatic pistol hidden under them, but always pointing at the heart of the clerk, Patrick H. Shea, of 12 Fellows street, Dorchester. "If you open your mouth you will be the first to drop," he whispered to Shea. The clerk went on waiting upon customers as if nothing was the matter and that the cool robber acted in the guise of a friend waiting for him.

Six customers, for two of whom the robber made change when the clerk told them that he could not change \$10 bills, bought goods and went out without suspecting anything. Hundreds of persons from down town theatres passed the store and a dozen or more stood almost in front of the open door, waiting for street cars.

Another Salary Increase  
Health Inspector William Connors, an efficient employee of the health department, is the latest city employee to be favored with an increase of salary. It is said having been increased \$2 per week within the past few weeks. Mr. Connors has been in the employ of the city for a number of years and is a faithful and painstaking official. But there are other faithful officials in the same department, who naturally will now look for and expect an increase in their salaries, particularly as some of them do not receive as much pay as did Mr. Connors before his increase.

**Those Secret Sessions**  
Says the Courier-Citizen editorially: "On Tuesday night the school committee was in caucus from about 5.30 until 10.20 o'clock. Then it came out in the open, called itself to order and did up its business with neatness and dispatch and adjourned. The question whether the school committee should be a public body or a secret one, which has been the subject of much discussion, was not taken up. What has been said as to overloading the secrecy business in the municipal council may be repeated, in all candor, with reference to meetings of the school committee."

Judging from the above I should infer that the Courier-Citizen had sent a new reporter to city hall to attend the school board meeting, who upon returning to the office poured his tale of woe into the sympathetic ear of the editor, with the result, as above. The regular city hall reporters have long since become accustomed to being kept waiting several hours while the school board or municipal council have been in secret session and no longer complain. And yet the Courier-Citizen says that all meetings shall be open, and in the case of the school board makes a special provision for open meetings under section 81, a part of which reads as follows: "Three of its members shall constitute a quorum and its meetings shall be public."

**Protest From West Centralville**  
Now it's the business men of West Centralville who are complaining about neglect, despite the promises of the members of this administration made to them nearly two years ago, by candidates who were going to give so much consideration to the French-American districts. All they want in West Centralville at present is a look at a street car sprinkler or a watering cart in lower Lakeview avenue, a treat that was promised them over a year ago and then forgotten. It would seem a comparatively easy and inexpensive thing to run a street car sprinkler down Lakeview avenue once in a while, but whether it will be hadly denied not only by the business men and residents of the street but by the hundreds who travel to and from Lakeview.

**Card of Thanks**  
We, the undersigned, wish to thank our kind neighbors, friends and relatives for their words of sympathy, their kind letters, floral offerings and spiritual benedictions, which helped to lighten the burden of sorrow in the sickness and death of our beloved mother and sister, Mrs. Mary E. Fagan. We assure all that their kindnesses were deeply appreciated and will always be remembered. (Signed)  
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fagan; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fagan; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fagan; Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fagan; Miss Bridget Ryan; Miss Agnes Ryan; Devine family of Lynn, Saugus, Mass., and Providence, R. I.

**John M. Farrell, Auctioneer**  
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SATURDAY, MAY 8, AT 3 P. M.

I shall sell at public auction the Barrister farm, so-called, consisting of a four-room house and barn, 66 acres of land, more or less, situated in the town of Westford, Mass., on the road leading from Westford to Dunstable, Mass. It is about nine miles from Lowell, one mile from Lowell and Ayer trolley line, five minutes' walk from Long-Sought-For pond, with good boating, bathing and fishing, an ideal fruit or poultry farm, with plenty of tillage land. Wood enough for home use; good water. This farm is so situated that you can sell all you raise on the farm at the door to campers. For a summer home or a farm, you will find it hard to equal. It is easy to reach, near neighbors, near one of the best ponds in the state. Come and look it over.

To reach the sale, Electric car leaves Merrimack Square 12 minutes before the hour for North Chelmsford. Change to the Ayer line, get off at Dunstable, Mass. It is about one mile from the car line on the Dunstable road. Make all inquiries at the auctioneer.

Terms of sale: \$200 must be paid as a deposit as soon as sold. Other terms made known at sale, that will be satisfactory to the purchaser.  
Per order, FRED L. SNOW.

**TUESDAY, MAY 11, 1915, AT 2 P. M.**  
Administrator's sale of the farm and personal property of the late Mr. Ekstrom, consisting of a 2 1/2 story house, barn, three hen houses and 43 acres of land, more or less, situated in the center of the village of Dunstable, Mass., on the main street.



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## NEWS FROM CITY HALL AND DEPARTMENT WORK

### Mayor Issues Clean-up Week Proclamation — Council Takes Back Water on Sign Question

Money has been literally pouring in to the city's coffers for the last few days owing to the rush of liquor dealers and druggists to the city treasury to pay their license fees. The total amount collected up till noon today was \$137,226. The amounts received each day from April 26 to April 30, inclusive, were as follows: April 26, \$16,909; 27th, \$17,400; 28th, \$19,501; 29th, \$27,102; 30th, \$22,008. These amounts include 11 druggist licenses at \$1 per

copy and 15 more druggist licenses were issued this morning, bringing the total up to \$137,226.

#### May 3d Clean-up Week

The following proclamation having to do with "clean-up and paint-up week" was issued by Mayor Murphy this forenoon:

"This is the season of the year for renovating and renewing our homes and places of business, inside and out.

Continued to page eight.

## 32,200 ON STRIKE SUIT FOR \$50,000

### Most Serious Labor Sit- uation in Chicago for 15 Years

CHICAGO, May 1.—May 1st was ushered into Chicago today with the most serious labor situation in the building industry in 15 years. By the addition yesterday of 1200 bridge and structural iron workers, the list of union working men on strike or locked out was swelled to 32,200 as follows:

Carpenters (construction).....13,000  
Carpenters (mill men).....5,000  
Sheet metal workers.....1,800  
Lathers.....500  
Painters.....10,400  
Structural iron workers.....1,200

The strike of the iron workers forced idleness on several thousand others in allied trades, bringing the number of idle because of strikes and lockouts up to 125,000.

The elevated trainmen numbering 3000 and 11,000 surface car conductors and motormen will begin negotiations looking to a new agreement next Monday. They will seek higher wages. The agreement with 25,000 garment workers also expires this month and they will ask better pay.

#### BRICKLAYERS' STRIKE

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 1.—For the first time since 1892 union bricklayers today laid down their tools to enforce a demand for increased wages. They have been receiving seventy cents an hour and struck for an eight hour day at \$6. About 1,200 men are affected. Efforts to reach an agreement with the Master Builders' association are being made.

#### DEATHS

ALBETTE.—Mrs. Delphis Albette, nee Melville Bourassa, aged 51 years and 8 months, died at the Lowell hospital this afternoon, the result of an operation. Deceased is survived by her husband, four sons, William, Thibault and Doree of this city and Joseph, a soldier in the French army in the European conflict; three daughters, Aurea, Mrs. Germaine Matte of this city and Mrs. Henri Mailoux of Montreal, Que.; three brothers, Cleophas, Delphis and Mederic Bourassa of this city; two sisters, Mrs. Louis Gagnon in Canada and Mrs. B. Boisvert of Michigan. She was a member of St. Anne's rectory and the Third Order of St. Francis of St. Joseph's parish. The body was removed to the home, 51 Ford street.

PARADIS.—Raymond, aged 1 month and 15 days, died today at the home of the parents, Leopold and Pamela Paradis, 358 Suffolk street.

FORTIER.—Anna, aged 2 years, 1 mo. and 25 days, died today at the home of the parents, Achille and Lea Fortier, 431 Pleasant street, Dracut.

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#### THAT "BE-CAREFUL- WHAT-YOU-EAT" FEELING

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## CHALIFOUX'S

### Rae Tanzer Again Ac- cuses J.W. Osborne as Man Who Courted Her

NEW YORK, May 1.—Miss Rae Tanzer, the young milliner who sued James W. Osborne for \$50,000 for alleged breach of promise to marry and later withdrew her suit, saying Mr. Osborne was not the man who courted her under the name of Oliver Osborne, changed her testimony again today and under oath identified James W. Osborne as her admirer, Oliver Osborne.

#### NO IMMEDIATE STRIKE

PROSPECTS FOR A SETTLEMENT OF DIFFERENCES BETWEEN TROLLEYMEN AND OFFICIALS

SPRINGFIELD, May 1.—Prospects for a settlement of the differences between the trolley men and the Springfield Street Railway company appeared good today. As a result of a conference between representatives of the union and members of the state board of conciliation and arbitration, which lasted throughout the greater part of the night, it was agreed that there would be no immediate strike. It was arranged that the conference would be resumed at 9 a. m. today and that the men should draw up a formal statement of their demands for presentation to the company and the board.

The proposition made by the union to the street railway company was considered in a conference of the company officials and Charles G. Wood of the state board of conciliation, referred to the men this afternoon. The test of the men's proposal and the answer of the company has not been made public. There will be another conference Monday, at which the men will act on the company's answer. Mr. Wood left Springfield at 2 1/2 o'clock. The men's investigation by the state board has been postponed until Tuesday.

#### CHINA REFUSES JAPAN

TERNS DOWN MOST IMPORTANT DEMANDS OF JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

PEKING, May 1.—The Chinese government has definitely refused some of the most important demands made by Japan.

On learning of China's decision, the Japanese minister, Eki Hiroki, said to the Chinese foreign minister, Lu (Chang-Hsiang): "I am sorry, I believe my government will be disappointed."

#### OFFERS OF SAND UNACCEPTABLE

Since Commissioner Carmichael came out with the statement that he was short on sand, several good citizens have come forward with sand offerings, but the colonel says there is not the right kind of sand. Mr. Carmichael, looking for mineral sand for filtration purposes and it seems that this particular kind of sand doesn't "grow" here. The colonel is going to draw from a bank in Nassau, N. I. "I do not want to go so far away for sand," he said today, "and I would be as disappointed if I got the kind of sand I need from a bank in Nassau."

#### GAS IN DUTTON STREET

The smell of gas is very strong in Dutton street these days and there's a reason. The Lowell Gas company is putting in a new main beginning at or near the entrance to the Sacre-Lowell shops and extending toward Fletcher street. Meeting in the road, the gas men will be extended in Dutton street from Broadway to Fletcher street and when that day comes the Gas company will not have to cut in ahead of the pavers to make changes or repairs, as these will be all covered by the work which is going on at the present time.

#### TWO CUTTERS LAUNCHED

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 1.—The new coast guard cutters Tallapoosa and Ossipee were successfully launched here today. The Ossipee bumped a pier going down the ways but did no damage.

#### MAY DAY QUIET IN PARIS

PARIS, May 1.—May day which in the past in Paris has been marked by revolutionary or socialistic manifestations was observed quietly today. There were a number of gatherings of the people, but everything was orderly.

# RUSSIAN STEAMER SUNK BY GERMANS

## Turks Cut Off on Gallipoli Peninsula— New German Offensive Movement— U. S. Ship Was Damaged But No Lives Lost—1000 Russians Captured

The Russian 2,000 ton steamer Svoroblog bearing Welsh coal to Archangel, a Russian port on the White sea, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine believed to be the U-23 on Friday at noon near the Black Sea Islands on the west coast of Ireland. The Svoroblog's crew of 24 men, mostly Russians, barely had time to take to the boat when the vessel sank. All were rescued by a patrol boat.

#### U. S. Steamer Damaged

American Minister Van Dyke at the Hague reported to the state department at Washington today that the American steamer Cushing from Philadelphia for Rotterdam was damaged

by bombs dropped from German aircraft in the North sea but that no lives were lost.

#### 1,000 Russians Captured

Several minor battles in Russian Poland, resulting for the most part to the advantage of the Germans are reported in the official communication from Berlin today. In one of them, near the

(Continued to page eight.)

#### LEAPED ON TROLLEY CAR

MASKED BANDITS SECURED SUIT CASE CONTAINING \$3500 AND ESCAPED

SHAMOKIN, Pa., May 1.—Two disguised robbers leaped on a trolley car near here today and secured a suit case containing \$3500 which the Shamokin Silk Mill Co. was sending in care of the crew to employees at Treverton, seven miles from Shamokin. The robbers after compelling the crew and passengers to leave ran the trolley down a steep grade to within a mile of Treverton and made their escape into the mountains.

#### CITY HALL NEWS

Charlie Morse stalked into the mayor's office this morning and said he was prepared to die by men looking for work and men who knew they would have to get on the civil service list.

As to the specifications for paving blocks objected to by Frank Mallory, Mr. Morse said he didn't know what was going to happen. Mr. Mallory has asked that the specifications be changed in order to give the small dealer a chance and the mayor and at least two of the commissioners have been quoted as saying that they would vote to change the specifications as suggested by Mr. Mallory.

Speaking of department work, Mr. Morse said that he expected to get through with the Pawtucketville sewer job today and next week, he said, the street department will have to attack Elm street. The street will be paved this year and the street department will start in there on Monday to prepare the street for the paving. "There is a lot of remote damage in Elm street," said Mr. Morse, "and the work we will have to do there will be equivalent to laying a new sewer."

Asked as to street paving, Mr. Morse said that he expected to get through in Belvidere today, for the time being, and on Monday the rollers will turn their attention to Centralville.

#### FUNERALS

CINCO-MARS.—The funeral of Urban Cinco-Mars took place this morning from his home, 10 St. Hope street. Solemn high funeral mass was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Father Denis, O. M. I. and Rev. Charles Denzil, O. M. I. as deacon and sub-deacon. The bearers were Joseph and Euclid Cinco-Mars, Frank Tremblay, Oliver Poirier, Roderick Descheneaux, M. Beauchene. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the communal prayers were read by Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O. M. I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

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#### AN IMPORTANT BATTLE

CLASH BETWEEN VILLA AND CARRANZA FORCES MAY DECIDE FATE OF MEXICO

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Prospects of an impending battle near Aguas Calientes between Gen. Villa's troops and the forces of Gen. Carranza, the Carranza commander, attracted considerable attention in official circles today. For upon its outcome may practically depend the end one way or another, of the contest between the two rival leaders.

Official advices to the state department said that Carranza was advancing rapidly from Culiacan toward Aguas Calientes with a strong force, while Villa has gathered there a force of about 35,000, together with a large amount of ammunition. Villa's agents here claim that he is nearly ready to engage Carranza's forces.

#### BASEBALL SCORES

The batteries for today's games and the scores at the time of going to press were as follows:

National—Boston at Brooklyn; Hughes and Gowdy, Smith and McCarthy. At end of fourth inning, Boston 3, Brooklyn 0.

National—New York at Philadelphia; Mathewson and Meyers, Alexander and Kilmer. At end of fourth inning, New York 1, Philadelphia 2.

National—Chicago at Pittsburgh; Starnidge and Brosnan, Adams and Schang. At end of third inning, Chicago 1, Pittsburgh 0.

American—Philadelphia at New York; Shawkey and Schang, Caldwell and Sweeney. At end of third inning, Philadelphia 2, New York 6.

American—St. Louis at Cleveland; Lundermilk and Agnew, Hagerman and O'Neil. At end of second inning, St. Louis 1, Cleveland 0.

(N. E.)—Lynn-Portland game postponed. Wet grounds.

(Am.)—Washington-Boston postponed. Wet grounds.

(College)—Bowdoin-Maine game at Brunswick, postponed, rain.

(College)—Jates-Colby at Lewiston, game postponed, rain.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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## GREEKS PLAN PROGRESS WILL HAVE A HOSPITAL

### Factions in Local Community Get Together—Will Have Cemetery as Well as School and Hospital

"We will build a hospital, establish a nursery, pay for our school and purchase a cemetery," said Dr. George A. Demopoulos to a Sun reporter this morning, while speaking about the local Greek community, "or we will disband, give up the community business and mingle up with other nationalities."

These plans were formulated at a recent meeting of the business men of the community, which was held in the basement of the Greek Orthodox church in Jefferson street. The meeting was called for the purpose of coming to some understanding in proposed changes of the constitution and by-laws of the community, for the annual meeting of the community, at which officers will be elected for a term of one year will be held on the last Sunday of this month.

The meeting was called by the president of the community, Peter Tavoularis and an invitation had been extended to all the business men of the district and about 75 of them responded. Those present set right down to business and went over certain matters of great interest to all members of the community and before closing the meeting they set forth a program which they feel assured will be approved by the voters in general. According to the present by-laws of the community, 21 directors are elected each year by the voters, and there are three or four different political parties in the community. The directors after being chosen by the people elect

a president, a secretary and a treasurer, and according to many it is often that the president chosen is not the man who would be selected by the voters at large. It is proposed to change the by-laws so that the president, secretary and treasurer be elected by the voters as well as 18 directors.

It was voted at the meeting to elect 21 men, who will serve on the board of directors next year, and the men chosen were Dr. George A. Demopoulos, Dr. John C. Gatsopoulos, Dr. Demosthenes Generallis, Peter Chagaruly, pharmacist; George Vozelas, pharmacist; Constantine Tselourakos, Esq., and the former president of the community, Harry Hopple, Thomas J. Noulas and Peter Tavoularis, as well as 12 others who were chosen among the business men of the community.

According to present arrangements, these 31 men will be voted for at the coming election and the interested parties feel assured that the election will be satisfactory. The plans for the first year are that the three physicians who were chosen on the board will act as president, each in their turn, each physician serving for a term of four months. These men will revise the by-laws for the best interest of the community. There are about 800 Greeks in this city, and they are determined to unite for their common good. There will no longer be two opposing factions as all will abide by the new movement.

## MUST FACE TRIAL

Food Dealers Charged With Conspiracy to Raise Prices

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Thirty commission merchants and food dealers here must face trial for conspiring to raise prices at the outbreak of the European war. Their demurrers to indictments secured by the government several months ago were overruled today in the district supreme court.

The cases were the first of a series brought by the department of justice after a country wide investigation.

## THE ARBITRATION AWARD

AGREEMENT AFTER SIX MONTHS IN CHICAGO—AFFECTS 64,000 RAILROAD MEN

CHICAGO, May 1.—Disapproval of the arbitration award made to 64,000 locomotive engineers, firemen and hostlers employed on 98 railroads, operating west of Chicago, was expressed today by W. S. Stone, grand chief engineer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

The award which becomes effective nine days from today and is binding for one year only, was signed last night after a six months' hearing on the question held by the federal board of arbitration.

## BRITISH SHIP RETURNS

WARSHIP WHICH LEFT MONTVIDEO ON APRIL 2, BACK AT PORT

MONTVIDEO, Uruguay, May 1.—The British cruiser Glasgow, which sailed from Montideo on April 2, returned to this port today.

The Glasgow was off the Virginia Capes last month, with other British cruisers which patrolled the coast after the arrival at Newport News of the German converted cruiser Kropnick Wilhelm. This patrol was abandoned after the German warships was interned.

## TO DROP MEN WHO DRINK

MAYOR OF FRANKLIN, PA., TO FIRE THOSE WHO IMBIBE IN THE FLOWING BOWL

FRANKLIN, Pa., May 1.—Mayor F. W. Brown today issued an order that all city employees who drink intoxicants habitually shall be dropped from the pay rolls, on the ground that there are too many Franklin people in need of bread to warrant the city paying out money to men who spend it for liquor.

## TRACK MEET POSTPONED

WATERVILLE, Maine, May 1.—Rain caused the postponement of the track meet for Maine and Colby athletes, set for today. It probably will be held next Wednesday.

## PRES. WILSON AT ALBANY, N. Y.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 1.—President Wilson arrived here shortly after one for the arrival at Newport News of the German converted cruiser Kropnick Wilhelm. This patrol was abandoned after the German warships was interned.

## GEN. C. S. PEYTON ILL

ONLY SURVIVING CONFEDERATE FIELD OFFICER OF BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG

CHARLESTON, W. Va., May 1.—Gen. C. S. Peyton, 73, the only surviving Confederate field officer of the battle of Gettysburg, is in a serious condition at his home in Bonaventure, N. Va., as a result of a stroke of paralysis. General Peyton is commander of the West Virginia division of the United Confederate Veterans.

## GIANTS GIVE UP KAUFF

NEW YORK, May 1.—As a result of a conference between H. M. Hume and of the New York National League baseball club and R. R. Ward, president of the Brooklyn Federal League club, held this afternoon in connection with a special meeting of the Federal league, called to consider the status of Player Benny Kauff, Mr. Humpstead announced that he had surrendered all the claims of the New York Giants to the services of Kauff.

## LYMAN H. NELSON QUILTS

PORTLAND, Me., May 1.—Lyman H. Nelson of this city today tendered his resignation as chairman of the state highway commission to Governor Oakley C. Curtis to take effect on June 1.

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## COE IS FOUND

Disappearance of Young  
Standard Oil Sales-  
man Solved

BOSTON, May 1.—Harry Clark Coe, Jr., the Standard Oil salesman, who mysteriously disappeared on Jan. 30, has been found. It is claimed, on the outskirts of Fairbanks, Alaska.

This announcement was made last night by Detective Robert Burns, who says Coe has been positively identified by a man who knew him in the east. An operative of the Burns agency made the discovery more than a week ago, but the announcement was withheld until after Robert Burns had conferred with Coe's father, who came here from New York yesterday.

Coe is doing some light work, and as far as can be gathered from the scant messages, is in good mental health.

Dr. H. C. Coe, his father, however, has arranged with Dr. Coe of Vancouver, C. S. Insanity expert for Alaska, to go to Fairbanks and see the young man. It is asserted that he is normal, he will be brought back to Boston. Otherwise, he will be taken to some sanitarium.

The discovery bears out the state-

ment that Coe took a train for Montreal, and then started out west. He was traced across the country to Vancouver, from where he took a steamer to Alaska.

Coe's trip, it is said, was made in an abnormal condition of his mind. For some time before he left his home at 1200 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, he would become absorbed in an atlas or railroad time table. Maps also held much attraction for him, and he read with unusual interest "The Honor of the 14th Show." It is now believed that this book influenced him in the direction he took.

The details of the trip and the nature of the work that Coe is doing, and the name of the man that made the identification in Alaska, have not been learned by Robert Burns.

"Tolls are 22 cents a word from Fairbanks," he said, "and my man has not wired me any more than was necessary. But there is no question in my mind that the fellow under surveillance is Coe. The operative was very explicit in stating that the identification was positive."

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## PRESIDENT IN WRECK STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

MISHAP TO TRAIN WHILE PASS-  
ING THROUGH WEST PHILADEL-  
PHIA—NO ONE INJURED

NEW YORK, May 1.—President Wilson spent nearly three hours here this morning on his way to Williamstown, Mass., to attend the christening of his grandson, Francis Sayre. He was joined here by Miss Margaret Wilson, his daughter, who has been spending several days in New York. Others in the party were Dr. Cary T. Grayson, the president's naval aid and physician, and Miss Helen Woodrow Jones, his cousin.

While the president's train was passing through West Philadelphia, early this morning, the airbrake on the engine jammed and the train came to a sudden stop. Several panes of glass were broken and a water bottle in the president's car fell to the floor with a crash. Everyone on the train was shaken but no serious damage was done. The president will arrive in Williamstown at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

BOLT GOES THROUGH STREET  
CAR IN WOBURN, SPARKS AND  
SMOKE TERRORIZE PEOPLE

BOSTON, May 1.—The lightning, which accompanied a heavy thunder shower at noon yesterday, caused considerable damage in the suburbs of Boston. A bolt went through a Woburn-bound Stoneham car in Salem street, Woburn, and caused a panic among the 12 passengers when a shower of sparks was followed by a pall of smoke which filled the car. Nobody was injured.

A corner of a barn at 30 Mt. Pleasant street, Woburn, owned by Morrie A. Burns, was torn away by a bolt which struck the ridge pole and followed down one side. Although the bolt left a trail of fire, the barn did not catch fire.

The residence of Mrs. Mary J. Dowd, 910 Main street, Woburn, was struck and the lightning, after ripping off the top of a cupola, ruined the electric light wiring of the house and tore out parts of the plumbing. Mrs. Dowd had been in bed several days and was about the house for the first time yesterday.

The lightning blew out an electric light fuse near a switch in her bedroom and sent a shower of sparks over the bed.

The lightning was freakish in Wakefield. A bolt went down the chimney of the Miller piano factory and sent a shower of live coals over Engineer C. Lindsey, who was shoveling coal upon the fire in the engine room. He was knocked down and stunned. His son, Harry Lindsey, pulled him to one side and extinguished the fire which had started in his clothing.

An amateur wireless call on the roof of the residence of Palmer H. Southworth, 110 West Chestnut street, Wakefield, received a message from the clouds which ripped shingles and tore a large hole in the roof. There was no fire.

Several times between 12 and 1:30 o'clock the steel forest fire watch tower on Hunt's hill, Wakefield, was struck and sent off showers of sparks. The town's electric light service was rendered useless for several hours.

The chimney on the house of Thatcher B. Streeter, 1494 Massachusetts avenue, Arlington Heights, was knocked down and shingles torn up. The lightning blew out fuses on electric light wires in several houses and put the service out of commission for some time.

Fuses were blown out of an elevated car at Massachusetts and Park avenues, Arlington Heights, by a heavy charge, which probably followed along the trolley wire for some distance.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE  
In the three and one-half months that the Lowell Social Service league has been at work it has touched the charitable and philanthropic work of the city at a surprising number of points.

In its work it has come into contact with 21 churches of the city—16 Protestant and 5 Catholic parishes. In dealing with children's problems, teachers in 11 of the public schools, and four of the parochial schools have been consulted. Problems of ill health have brought on the co-operation of 18 of the city's physicians. In its work with individual families, it has come into touch with most of the municipal, county and state's agencies, and also with two labor unions and 18 of the private societies, including the hospitals which are engaged in social betterment.

The problem of unemployment has brought it in contact with 24 employers of labor including some of the largest of the city's mills, and many private individuals have shown their interest and given their advice. Out of town agencies have been consulted with either to give or to gain information in Boston, Cambridge, Newburyport, Salem, Worcester, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., Providence, Brooklyn, New Bedford, Milton, Haverhill and Poughkeepsie.

Eighteen individuals have volunteered for work in friendly visiting, the office, or other ways. Centralville, the Highlands and Belvidere are represented among these volunteer helpers.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE  
The artistic draping of models furnishes one of the features of "The Fashion Shop," the musical comedy which will be underlined at the B. F. Keith theatre next week, and none other than Hugo Jansen, one of the noted Paris modistes have shown the leading role. The show is just what its name implies, a fashion show. When the great war broke out Jansen found every avenue of profit closed to him, and so he came to America where the idea of putting a fashion shop onto the stage appealed to him. He realized that he would be forced to work with rapidity in order to keep his audience, so he set about practicing until he reached a surprising degree of deftness. The three beautiful models which he carries, and which remain inco, are outfitted in the very latest of fashions within a surprisingly brief period of time.

In order to make the act something more than a mere draping of costumes, Mr. Jansen had to provide for comedy and for music. Blanche Latell, formerly comedienne with "Naughty Marietta," will be seen in the part of "Naughty Marietta," the daughter of a countryman who desires to learn how to dress. She is tall and angular, in marked contrast to the models who appear with her, and she is one of the cleverest comedienne women on the stage today. Earl Corr, Broadway's rube comedian, has the part of "Hiram Corns," while "Lalade Barker" is "Minnie," the sweetheart of "Alphonse," the designer, which role is carried by Hugo Jansen.

And just another word about the models. They possess differing lines and one may tell from Mr. Jansen's attitudes what looks well on different persons. In the dressing of them the smallest detail is worked out, and the finished garment is as perfect as if it had been made with the aid of scissors, needles and thread. It is sometimes claimed that modistes are superior to women, and this would seem to be borne out by the wonderful work demonstrated by Mr. Jansen.

Aside from the fact that "The Five Violin Beauties" is an act of real fashion, there is one fact in connection with its forthcoming production which should make it doubly a favorite. Miss

Ethel Sharrow, a Lowell young woman, who has made many friends here in past years through her charming personality and her wonderful ability, is the manager of this act, and one of its principal players. Five young women give a program which is attractive all the way through. One of the most striking portions of it shows the number of players in the garb of various nationalities, and the numbers they play savor of the races represented.

Daphne Lewis will be the Scotch girl, Mariebelle Valette the Dutch girl, Ethel Sharrow the Irish girl, Miriam Glover the Spanish woman, and Babe Anderson the Turkish beauty. The program the five will give will be as follows: "In the Sunshine," "The Five Beauties," "The Volin My Great-Granddaddy Made," "Miss Valette," "When You and I Young," "Maggie," "Miss Lewis," "Minnie," "Miss Anderson," and the finale, "The Beauties."

The comedy skit, "The Fixer," will be presented by Marion Buel & Co., and the tramp, who does about every-

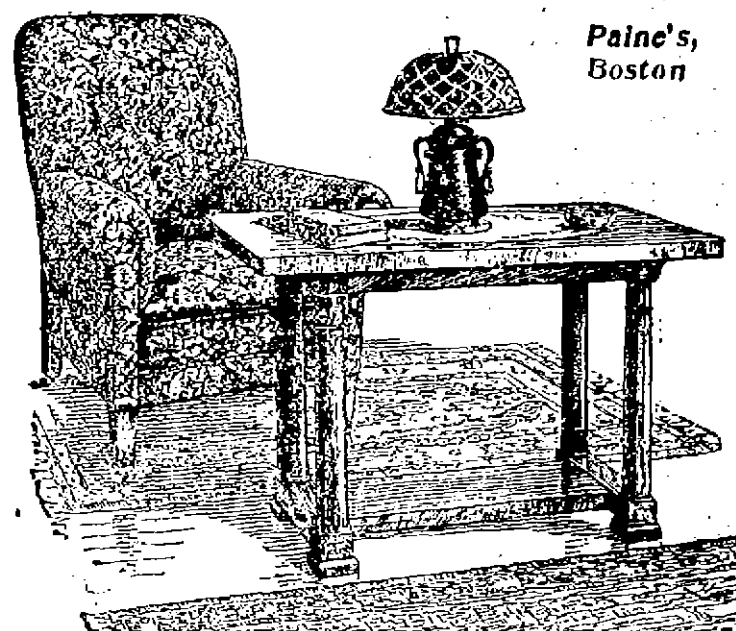
thing, and is rated as one of the biggest hits in vaudeville, will surprise with his versatility. Hilton & Roberts sing and dance well, and Marlin & Clements are singers of grand operatic numbers. The Musical Chef opens the show. It brings forth a music maker who can find melodies anywhere in an up-to-date kitchen. The bill will close with a Hearst-Selig News Pictorial.

This will prove to be one of the best shows of the entire season, and tickets for all performances may be obtained in advance. The box office telephone is 28.

Tomorrow afternoon and night special Sunday features will be presented. They will include several excellent acts and five pictures.

THE OWL THEATRE  
Today's Owl performance is a splendid one. There is a great variety of subjects, with "The Judge's Wife" as a special feature. Coming Monday and Tuesday, Nance O'Neil in "The Kreutzer Sonata," a famous play from the pen of Leo Tolstol, the Russian writer. Many other pictures will complete the finest program ever shown in Lowell for the money charged for admission.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC  
The performance at the Academy of Music will be continuous from two o'clock to 10:30 today in order to accommodate the large number of patrons who will take advantage of this last opportunity of seeing Mary Pickford in "The Eagle's Mate." Good seats may be reserved in advance if desired. This picture has proved to be one of the very best attractions the Academy has ever offered. The leading character is a delightful one as interpreted by the charming Mary Pickford. "The Submarine Spy," another fine drama, is a most unusual photoplay, having been produced for the most of a submarine. "The Governor's Maker," a drama, and a good comedy complete a program of the highest entertaining qualities.



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Sunday, May 2nd, at 3 P. M. At Colonial Hall

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BASEBALL AND FIELD SPORTS THE SUN SPORTING PAGE BOXING, GOLF AND ATHLETICS

TOO WET TO PLAY  
All Games Postponed  
Clubs Will be Sized  
Up in Few Days

Yesterday was a pretty bad day for the opening of a league season. In fact it couldn't have been much worse. And here's another one almost as bad. The little of league is surely in bad for a starter this season.

The first few games of the season will be watched with great interest by the in a wintered New England league ball. At present it is almost impossible to estimate the comparative strength of the eight clubs in the league.

So many new faces will be seen around the route this season the picking of pennant candidates is a hard job. Each club seems to think that its club has a chance at the flag. Of course one or two of them are well high hopes, not to be mentioned among the contenders. The clubs are extremely uncertain quantities.

**Brugby Released.**

Frank Brugby was released by the Boston Braves yesterday. Brugby goes to Troy for the remainder of the season. This move was made imperative by the new ruling of the National League this season.

The former Lawrence catcher has had an opportunity to learn a lot about baseball this season. His experience with Stallings, would prove of big benefit to him. In fact Brugby improved so rapidly that Stallings did not want to let him go and would probably have retained him as a utility man if the club could carry more than 21 players.

**In Regard to Ring**

Jimmy Ring is well liked by "Wild" Bill Donovan. Although it is very doubtful if he is retained by the Yankees Ring will be heard of another season in all probability.

The New York manager has decided to send Ring out for the season but he is a predicament as to where to locate the youngsters. Ring wants to go higher than the local club and there isn't any doubt but what he can stay in the company.

On the other hand Lowell has a claim against Ring's services. The agreement existing between the New York club and Lowell is that Lowell is to provide a pitcher for the Yankees for \$2500 providing that James isn't returned here. The question now arises as to Ring's worth to the Yankees or Lowell? That's what it will cost them if Ring is not returned to the local club.

**Myers for First**

Tex Myers, the first sacker recently promoted who was gotten by the New York club last season, is now being used at the initial back by the local management. Barrows hasn't announced himself as yet, though.

Myers, however, is a pitcher and he is expected to become a great ball player. His style, although not as smooth as that of Myers, is very effective. He has the experience of Myers, of course. Powers is also a pitcher and if Myers clinches his hold on the first base job Powers will be tried out as a mound possibility.

LEADING BATTERS  
Fournier Tops the A.L.  
Groh Leads Nat'l's  
Alexander Best in Box

**CHICAGO, May 1.**—Jacques Fournier of the White Sox, with an average of .463 tops the batters of the American League, according to averages published today. The league's veterans are well to the front with Cobb, Detroit, hitting .420 and closely pushing Young, his team mate, with .428 for second place. Others among the leaders are Lapp, Philadelphia, .417; Johnson, Detroit, .400; Crawford, Detroit, .385; Trumbull, Philadelphia, .375; McNamara, Philadelphia, .375.

With nine hits to his credit, Cobb leads the base stealers.

The averages, which include games of last Wednesday, show the best pitchers in the league have two or more victories without a defeat. Daus, Detroit, leads with four wins; Fisher, New York, is next with three, and then come Boland, Detroit; Benz, Chicago and Caldwell, N. Y., with two each.

Helene Groh, Cincinnati, is setting the batting pace in the National. His average is .428 and his closest rivals are Luderus, Philadelphia, .425; Connolly, Boston, .407; Whitted, Philadelphia, .399; Galloway, Cincinnati, .399; Clarke, Cincinnati, .376; Good, Chicago, .367; Kullifer, Cincinnati, .365.

Base stealing honors go to Snodgrass, New York, and Bescher, St. Louis, with five.

Grover Alexander, with four straight victories, leads the National's pitchers. Next the Philadelphia are leading: Chalmers, Chalmers, Philadelphia and Pierce, Chicago, credited with two wins each and, like Alexander, charged with no defeats.

Edna Allen, Pittsburgh, leads the batters of the Federal league.

In seven games he has been up six times and made three hits, for percentage of .600. Led by Allen of Pittsburgh, with four hits to his credit, there are six undefeated pitchers in the Federal league. The others are Kaiserling, Newark; three victories; McConnel, Newark; two victories; Granes, Detroit; Prentegast, Chicago one and Finerman, Brooklyn, one.

**HOME RUN BAKER HURT**

**PHILADELPHIA, May 1.**—Frank Baker will not play with the Upland Braves in the opening game of the championship season of the Delaware County league this afternoon. Yesterday Manager Miller of Upland received a telegram from Baker in which he said that he had fallen down a flight of stairs at his home at Trappe, Md., and broken a rib.

It was said yesterday that the reported injury was a week for Baker does Frank an injustice. The exact amount of pay given the famous third baseman was not announced, but it is admitted that it is considerably more than \$100 a game.

COFFEY MEETS AL. REICH  
GIANT FIGHTERS TO CLASH AT NEW YORK NEXT WEDNESDAY NIGHT

**NEW YORK, May 1.**—Anticipating considerable trouble when steps into the ring with Jim Coffey and Al Reich at the Garden next Wednesday night, Referee Billy Roche has gone into training, Rock taking to the roads in Central park in the morning, and plays handball on the Sharkey club court in the afternoon.

The fight will go on between these two fellows. Between themselves and start to break every rule in the book. They grudge fights crop up only once in a while. Salvo Burke and Willie Lewis fought one of them and the fans are still talking about it.

"This one may be short and sweet, for both men are exceptionally clever for their fellows, and are heavy hitters," Roche said. "It looks like a tossup to me with little chance of the bout going the limit."

**MERKLE ON THE BENCH**

**TWENTY-ONE PLAYER LIMIT HAS WORKED ITS HARSHNESS ON THE NEW YORK GIANTS**

**NEW YORK, May 1.**—There is no alluring prospect of a mad rush to the Giants in the next few days. The circumstances, over which McGraw had no control, have brought about a twenty-one player limit rule and recent accidents are militating against an upward and onward movement of the New York Nationals.

Three players were hurt in the stormy clash with the Braves on Thursday and one already was on the hospital list. Fred Merkle, whose left arm was dislocated, will not be able to play again for two months, officials of the club said yesterday.

Leaving behind a better year than for several years past, he had traced in his hitting and was fielding capital. Two others who were hurt yesterday may be able to go in today. When Robert, who was splined at the base by Maraville, the other is Robertson, who was injured in some way, was humped or fell—running the bases and needed a doctor's attention after the game.

Fred Snodgrass, slated to take Merkle's place, has a wounded hand. He got in Brooklyn last week.

A STIFF BATTLE  
Champion Kilbane Only  
Shades Young Benny  
Leonard

Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland, featherweight champion, and Leach Cross of the East Side were the winners of the ten round bouts at the Federal A. C. New York. Kilbane fought Benny Leonard, a lightweight, in a so-called handicap bout, but the handicap was nothing to brag about, for Kilbane weighed in at 125 and Leonard at only 120. The champion had the best of the six of the ten rounds, and Leonard had the other four—first, fifth, eighth and ninth.

Leonard might have beaten the champion with a little confidence, but even when he was having the best of the going, apparently, he would shut like a clam and clinch for all he was worth. This made the fighting very hard for both of the boys, but especially for Kilbane, for the latter could not get his jabs and hooks working to any great extent.

In the first round only three blows were struck and Leonard scored all of these. In the fifth the youngsters Kilbane's left eye, with a right hand, and in the eighth he landed the best blow of the fight, a straight right hand to the chin. Kilbane did the most of his execution on jabs and short left and right hooks at close quarters.

Cross met Packey Hommey, and although he was in the lead in all but two of the rounds, the fourth and ninth, he did not win by an overwide margin. Hommey kept coming at Leach from going to going and sent Leach reeling with a bounding wallop. The dentist's ring generalship and experience were too much for Hommey.

**BRUVES RELEASE BRUGBY**

**BOSTON, May 1.**—The Boston National roster was brought into the required 21 men limit by the release of Frank Brugby, a catcher, to the Troy club of the New York State League. Brugby came to Boston from the Lawrence New England league club. The Braves list does not include Captain Everett MacArthur, who has been injured last pitcher George Davis and Lowe, a short stop from Dartmouth College, who will join the club in June; and Fred Mitchell, who has been designated scout.

HANDICAP TRACK MEET  
SEVERAL TITLEHOLDERS AMONG ATHLETES WHO COMPETED AT PRINCETON, N. J. TODAY

**PRINCETON, N. J., May 1.**—Several titleholders were among the college school and club athletes who competed here today in Princeton's second annual handicap track meet. There were more than 200 individual entrants with a total entry list of 300. Indications in the early morning hours were for fair weather.

The four mile, quarter, half and one mile runs promised the greatest competition. In these races Princeton's champion two mile relay team, Moore, Hayes, Mackenzie and Atha, had such opponents as Meredith, Lippincott, Leonard and Kaufman, the Pennsylvania stars; Gilling of the Irish-American A. C. was set at scratch in the half mile event as was Daveny in the mile and two mile runs.

Good marks also were expected in the hurdles. The entries included J. J. Eller, Irish-American A. C.; Ferguson, Princeton and High, Hooper, Eller and Ferguson ran from scratch.

The field and weight events were not so well represented as the track, although there were fewer star performers entered. Ryan and McGrath of the Irish-American A. C. competed in the shot-put and hammer throw.

ATHLETES AND ATHLETICS  
Poor Connie Mack still continues to get his, it is something strange for him to be beaten day in and day out by one club and then by another.

Freddie Yelle was at Manchester last night but Ridge, who was slated to meet him, was among the missing. The fans of the Queen City had been carried along by the promoters and they thought a championship battle was in sight. It's no wonder the game is dead at Manchester. Disappointments like that of last night will kill any sport.

The local high school team opened its 1915 schedule this afternoon at Nashua. Coach Pulsifer was in fine spirits as his boys boarded the train for the trip to the New Hampshire city and looked for a victory, the high school boys have been helped a great deal by the practice games with the Lowell club this spring.

Jack Coombs, once the premier pitcher of the Markham, worked against the Phillies yesterday in a Brooklyn uniform. The leaders of the National league were obliged to bow to Coombs' brilliant pitching. He was a former Athletic out of two bad situations.

Benny Kauff was returned to the Brooklyn Feels providing that the local club can show a contract for his services. President Hempstead of the Giants has so informed President Ward of the Brooklyn club. Kauff was a pitcher for the New York club in the Ruba.

Long Lorie released three players yesterday. Three, the speedster of last season, was released to Elmhurst, looks as though Long remembered brother-in-law Dan. All the time, Kraul, Feather pitcher and Bangs, an infielder, were also let go.

"Tacks" Harwick was elected captain of the Harvard baseball club at a special meeting held yesterday. R. H. Ayres, the chosen leader of this season's nine, will not be able to play again this season on account of the effects of his recent operation.

AMATEUR BALL GAMES  
Supt. KERNAN ARRANGES SCHEDULE FOR SIX TEAMS OF WORKING BOYS

About twenty managers of uniformed baseball teams gathered at the office of the park department at city hall last night to discuss with the superintendent, the baseball schedule it will be certain to play in parks and playgrounds for the year 1915. After the matter had been gone over very thoroughly it was decided that the schedule for the six teams in question it will be necessary for them to get permits before the game is called as Supt. Kernan said he had upon the by-laws of the park board being lived up to and the by-laws provide that permits must be had in all cases and the only one in authority to issue them is the superintendent.

The schedule as agreed upon by the managers of the six teams for which dates were assigned is as follows:

Y. M. C. A. Arthur Keyes, manager; John Marlen, captain—North common, May 5 and 31; June 5, 17 and 23; July 10, 17 and 31; August 14 and 28, and September 6 and 20.

Oxleys, John Manahan, manager; Parker Daley, captain—South common, May 29, August 21 and Sept. 15. Shedd park, May 12 and 22; June 12 and 22; July 12 and 22; August 12 and 22; September 12 and 22.

P. Q. and South Ends, Walter Lyons, manager; Andrew Dowd, captain; South common, May 1, 8, 22 and 28; June 5, 12, 19 and 26; July 10 and 23; Aug. 7 and 28, and Sept. 11.

Blackberry, D. L. Swan, manager; Frank Penick, captain—South common, May 15, July 31, Aug. 14 and Sept. 11.

Kimball System, Geo. Duckley, captain—North common, May 17 and Sept. 23; Shedd park, May 17 and 31; June 12, 19 and 26; July 3, 10 and 24; Aug. 7 and 21, and Sept. 4, 11 and 25.

Thomas Shugrue, manager; D. A. Hestlin, captain; North common, May 1, 15, 23 and 29; June 12 and 15; July 3 and 23; Aug. 7 and 21, and Sept. 4, 11 and 25.

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

Charlie Dane, the newly elected business agent of the Painters' union, is making good with a capital "G."

Organizer Daniel E. Whelan of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union, who was in Newburyport yesterday afternoon on business.

Andrew Dowd of the Lamson Store Service Co., will play right field for the P. & Q. South End baseball team this afternoon on the Alken street grounds.

A big meeting of the Loomhams' union, scheduled for Monday night and business of considerable importance will come up for transaction.

Since the organization of the Textile Workers' union about three months ago over 1000 employees have been enrolled in its membership.

Miss Madeline Boland of the Lawrence Manufacturing Co., made the hit of her career at the minstrel show conducted by the Princeton club last night.

James Mallon, organizer for the Plasterers' union, who has been in this city since the start of the labor forward movement, left yesterday for his home in Brooklyn.

John Joyce, the popular mechanic employed at the Massachusetts mills will preside at the meeting of the Four of Clubs to be held tomorrow afternoon at the Temple club, Willow Dale.

John King of the W. J. Barry Shoe Co., says the formal opening of the Fairmount Campers summer home at Willey Dale will be largely attended by both members and invited guests. The event will be held tomorrow afternoon.

**Boat & Shoe Workers' Meeting**

The open meeting of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union which was the most enthusiastic held since the inception of the organization, and the results were very encouraging to Organizer Daniel E. Whelan. At the next meeting balloting will be done for the election of a delegate to represent the

**Choral Society CONCERT**

**EXCHANGE OF TICKETS**

FOR RESERVED SEATS

For Honorary Members, the Exchange Begins Monday, May 3. For the General Public the Exchange Begins Thursday, May 6. Opera House Box Office, Gorham St. Entrance, Opens at 10 a. m.

DEATHS

**MCDONALD.**—Mrs. Mary McDougal, widow of Allan McDougal, died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital, aged 55 years. She leaves four sisters, Mrs. Margaret Green, Mrs. P. J. Hout, Mrs. David Barry of Marblehead, and Mrs. Granes of New York city. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertakers James E. O'Donnell & Sons.

**SAYLES.**—Ora Judd, son of Mrs. L. H. Sayles of this city, died April 27 in Biddeford, Me., aged 37 years.

**SHUTE.**—Mrs. Ann S. Shute died last night at the home of her son, Oliver Shute, 29 Essex street, at the advanced age of 59 years 1 month and 10 days. She is survived by three sons, Oliver J. of this city, Edmund H. of Chicago, and Alexander F. of Bedford, and by seven grandchildren.

**MEAD.**—Thomas Mead, aged 77 years, a resident of Tewksbury for over 55 years, died this morning at his home. He is survived by a wife, Mary, three sons, John, Thomas and Frank; two daughters, Mrs. James O'Donnell and Mrs. Mary O'Donnell; and Mrs. Catherine Loden and Mrs. Mary Kilron, both of Belvedere, Ill., and two brothers, Michael and Patrick of Chicago.

**FUNERALS**

**HARDY.**—The funeral of Mrs. Annie Hardy was held from her home, 101 Third street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Arthur J. McLaughlin, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church. Appropriate selections were sung by Miss Ethel M. Knowlton. Delegations were present from the St. John's Episcopal church, the Episcopal church, the Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, the latter delegation exemplifying the motto, "The dead shall live." The funeral services were held at 2 o'clock at the home of the deceased, Mrs. Hardy, 101 Third street. The funeral services were held at 2 o'clock at the home of the deceased, Mrs. Hardy, 101 Third street.

**REARDON.**—The funeral of Mrs. Julia Reardon will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 70 Broadway. At 10 o'clock a funeral mass will be held at St. Patrick's church. Burial in St. Bernard's cemetery, Fitchburg, in charge of James E. O'Donnell & Sons.

**MEER.**—The funeral of Thomas Meer will take place from his home, in Tewksbury Centre on Tuesday morning. A funeral mass will be held at 10 o'clock at the home of the deceased, Mr. Meer, 122 Andrews st. Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock a funeral mass will be held at the home of the deceased, Mr. Meer, 122 Andrews st. Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock a funeral mass will be held at the home of the deceased, Mr. Meer, 122 Andrews st.

**AN ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY**

The third concert of the Lowell Orchestral society will be given in Colonial hall, tomorrow afternoon at 3 p. m. and there is little doubt that those who attended the other concerts will be well worthy of generous patronage, for the program combines some of the best ancient and modern compositions, and the Lowell Orchestral society has demonstrated its ability to interpret the best in music. In tomorrow's program is an overture by Beethoven, two symphonies by Mozart, three pieces by S. Coleridge Taylor, and many other noted compositions of master composers. Mme. Wilhelmina Wright, Calvert will sing selections from Verdi and a group of English songs, and there will be violin-cello solos by Frederick E. Mindt.

**CARD OF THANKS**

The undersigned wish to express publicly sincere thanks to those who by acts of kindness, words of consolation, and the offering of flowers, helped to lighten the burden of sorrow at the death of Daniel E. O'Donnell. For the many beautiful floral and spiritual offerings tendered we are especially grateful.

All who were remembered by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Brennan.

FIRST OF MAY IN HUB

**PEACEFUL CONDITIONS AMONG LABOR UNIONS—NO SERIOUS TROUBLE THREATENED**

**BOSTON, May 1.**—The first of May, when labor unions customarily "take stock" finds peaceful conditions in this city this year. No strike or lockout of large proportions is in force in or near Boston and no serious labor trouble is threatened. The most important differences in process of adjustment is that between the employees and management of the Bay State Street Railway company, which has been the subject of lengthy hearings, recently closed, before a board of arbitration. The carpenters have demanded a five day week, with higher wages, and the subject of their referendum vote on the question of a strike will be made known next week.

Charged with breaking and entering in the night and the larceny of nearly \$100 worth of rings, bracelets, pins, etc., from the jewelry and optical shop of Henry Lavallee at 64 Merimack street, Thomas McCaffrey entered a plea of not guilty before Associate Justice Fisher in the local court today. He was held in the sum of \$500 surety until next Tuesday and in the meantime the defendant will be examined in regard to his mental condition.

McCaffrey was arrested near the railroad station by Patrolman J. J. Dooley and was taken to the police station on a charge of drunkenness. In his clothes, the police claim, was found a large quantity of jewelry which was later identified by Mr. Lavallee as that taken from his establishment early yesterday morning.

Though the prisoner gave his residence to the keeper as Haverhill, he had no honor in his former home, which he has appeared in the local court before on a minor charge, according to the report of Probation Officer Slattery. McCaffrey pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness.

**Violation of Milk Law**

Walter A. Andrews, of Draut was adjudged guilty of having in his possession milk to which water had been added and was ordered to pay a fine of \$50. He appealed. Mayor Murphy appeared in behalf of the government and the defendant was represented by William D. Regan.

The testimony offered was somewhat unusual. John J. Coughlin, collector of milk samples for the city of Lowell, told the court that he met Andrews delivering milk on Market street about 3 o'clock on the morning of April 11. Witness said that he asked Andrews for a sample and was given a pint bottle full of milk. The collector then took three quart bottles from the wagon and was about to start away when stopped by Mr. Andrews. Coughlin told the court that the defendant asked him to smooth the matter over and said: "You caught me and you caught me right. Can't we fix it up?"

The usual fine of \$50 was imposed for a first offender.

William J. Lawton, aged about 20

REINSTATEMENT DENIED

**APPLICATION OF KAUFF TURNED DOWN BY THE NATIONAL BASEBALL COMMISSION**

**CINCINNATI, O., May 1.**—The National baseball commission today refused the application for reinstatement of Benny Kauff, Brooklyn Federal league player, who signed a New York National league contract on last Thursday.

He has undergone another operation and still another is necessary.

John J. Kenny, the young man who was injured in the explosion at the Vocational school, has undergone another surgical operation at St. John's hospital. A part of the bone protruding at the shoulder has been removed, but the end of the bone is still bare and there is no flesh to cover it, so that there is little prospect of its ever healing up. The wound has to be dressed by a trained nurse twice a week and now it appears that another part of the bone showing signs of decay must be removed and hence he will have to undergo another operation next week. The young man suffers great pain at most continually. His mother has secured an artificial limb for him, but it is of very little use as only a few inches of the thick bone remains and the arm on the same side is completely gone.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We, the undersigned wish to express our thanks to our many kind friends and relatives for their prayers and words of consolation in the loss of our brother, also for the spiritual comforts and floral offerings tendered to us. We thank especially the firm of Mansfield & Witham and their employees and the employees of the Moody building for their kind and all the other floral tributes. We will always remember them.

Signed  
Rose Marquis,  
Anna Marquis,  
Victor Marquis,  
Hermias Marquis.

**CHORAL SOCIETY**

Read your ticket. Note the fact that the exchange of Choral Society concert tickets for reserved seats begins next week. The ad on the entertainment page tells you the story in full.

AN ENJOYABLE DANCE

**THE WEETAMOS MADE MERRY LAST EVENING AT VESPER BOAT HOUSE**

Last evening the Vesper boat house, Pawtucket street, was the scene of one of the most successful and novel dances held in this city in a long time. A dance held under the auspices of the Weetamos, a popular and well known club of local young men. The Weetamos have run several dances but that of last evening was one of the most enjoyable.

The hall had been elaborately decorated for the occasion in a rich Indian effect. White and red draperies were hung over the windows, red streamers were hung from the centre to the sides and the same color effect was carried out in the decorations of the stage and around the windows and doors. In one corner an Indian wigwag had been erected, with all the accessories of an Indian camp, including a tripod and a fire. Only a dim light penetrated the corner and the effect was striking and original. Opposite the stage hung an enormous banner of the Weetamos, with blue letters on a white ground.

Music was by Doyle's orchestra, which played several concert numbers before the general dancing commenced. The dance order was of 15 numbers and it was heartily enjoyed by the large and enthusiastic crowd in attendance. The evening closed at midnight. The next evening at 8 o'clock, the "A Perfect Day" most effectively, being obliged to respond to an encore.

Following were the officers: Big chief, Joseph M. Dinneen; little chief, James P. McCreedy; big sachem, Royal H. Cotter; little sachem, Joseph D. Lannan, Jr.; medicine, Thomas J. Lannan; braves, Fred E. Donahue, James A. Enright and Joseph W. Guiney; wampum man, Robert J. Rutledge.

**HIGHLAND CLUB DANCANT**

The May dancant to be held under the auspices of the Highland club next Tuesday evening at the club house, promises to be the finest of the series. The music will be by the famous Hoppe orchestra of Medford, and the decorations will be by the Atlantic Decorating company, Boston, which is of very little use as only a few inches of the thick bone remains and the arm on the same side is completely gone.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We, the undersigned wish to express our thanks to our many kind friends and relatives for their prayers and words of consolation in the loss of our brother, also for the spiritual comforts and floral offerings tendered to us. We thank especially the firm of Mansfield & Witham and their employees and the employees of the Moody building for their kind and all the other floral tributes. We will always remember them.

Signed  
Rose Marquis,  
Anna Marquis,  
Victor Marquis,  
Hermias Marquis.

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Monday

**BASE BALL WORCESTER**

**Spalding Park**

GAME CALLED AT 3 O'CLOCK



# IRELAND IS WITH FRANCE

## Delegation of A. O. H. Issues Address of Sympathy to President Poincare and Cardinal Amette

PARIS, May 1.—T. P. O'Connor and Joseph Devlin, president of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, headed a delegation composed of prominent members of the Irish party in the British parliament which was received yesterday by President Poincare and Cardinal Amette, archbishop of Paris.

The delegates came to Paris to voice Ireland's sympathy with France in the present war. The delegation was presented to President Poincare in the Elysee palace.

### Friend of Celts

Joseph Devlin read the address which said in part:

"Ireland has always considered France the greatest Celtic nation. France always has granted asylum to exiled Irish chiefs. Ireland truly is grateful. Now the ancient quarrel with England has been settled, Ireland is fighting with England, fighting as always, for liberty and the rights of small nations, and for universal justice. Ireland today stands by France in her great struggle against invasion by a militarist nation.

"All Ireland joins today in the cry 'Vive la France!'

President Poincare was deeply touched by the address and expressed himself as greatly pleased over the assurance that Ireland sympathizes with his country.

The address made to Cardinal Amette was by far the strongest utterance yet made by a Catholic organization on the present war. In part it read:

"The Ancient Order of Hibernians, in convention assembled, resolved to offer through the Cardinal Amette an expression of their profound sympathy for France in this hour of dark trial. The ties between Ireland and France have existed for ages. Through the darkest hours of our persecution and suffering we have always kept dreaming that help would come from France.

"In 1810, Irishmen felt as keenly as did Frenchmen the crime of the annexation of Alsace-Lorraine. In which they saw an outrage against the principle of nationality for which Ireland herself had struggled for seven centuries. Conditions today are different both in France and Ireland. After centuries of conflict France and England today are united in an alliance for liberty and justice. Parliament's concession of the right of self-government to us similarly has reconciled the mass of the Irish to Great Britain.

"The entente cordiale between France and England, also exists between France and Ireland. This war was imposed on France in the same spirit of arrogant aggression which inspired the annexation of Alsace-Lorraine. Its success, we feel, means annihilation of French independence. Therefore, as Nationalists, we fully share your people's confidence in final victory, restoration of the lost provinces and a definite ending of all aggressive wars against your country.

"The cause of the allies is our cause. The success of the allies will be a step forward from the barbarism of militarism to a new era of progress and hope."

## PRES. LAUGHLIN QUOTED

### HEAD OF THE ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS TALKS AGAINST ENGLAND

Joseph Laughlin, national president of the A. O. H., in Boston and is quoted by one of the members of the Irish party in the English army, saying that England has deceived Ireland in the past and may do so again.

## TRUNK MYSTERY SOLVED

### TRUNK BEARING LOWELL ADDRESS WASHED FROM DUMP IN BOSTON

The mystery surrounding the discovery of a trunk in the marshes of the Mystic river early yesterday morning which set the local police on the trail, has been solved. The trunk, containing a scrap of paper inside, has been cleared and there was neither suicide nor murder connected with it.

Miss Mary O'Keefe of 181 East Merrimack street, whose name was written on a piece of paper found in the trunk, stated that she knew no one by the name of Mary or F. M. Doherty. The Boston Immigration officer was visited by the Boston police and it was learned that a Marie Doherty, 24, arrived in Boston from Queenstown, Ireland, on May 7 of last year. The record showed that she came here from Ireland, two years ago, she left her trunk at my home. When I saw her last I asked her when she was going to take the trunk away. She said she would do so some time, but that it was in my way to throw it out. We are going to move and are getting ready, so last night my husband took Marie's trunk and threw it in a dump near the river. I suppose the tide rose and carried it out into the stream where it was found three hours later."

A good wheelbarrow, \$3.50, at the Thompson Hardware Co.

## ABSTAIN FROM SMOKING

### HUNGARIAN PEOPLE URGED TO GIVE MONEY SAVED TO FUND FOR INVALID SOLDIERS

VENICE, May 1.—Throughout Hungary today is being observed as "abstain from smoking" day. Every smoker will be expected to abstain from using either pipe, cigar or cigarette and to give the money thus saved to a fund for invalid soldiers.

## PAINT & VARNISH BRUSHES

Petrograd, Russia, is the greatest bristle market in the world. Next to Russian bristles in quality, are German bristles, which are very similar in character.

German bristles are not all grown in Germany, many of them being obtained in Poland and vicinity in Eastern Germany. Leipzig is the great German market for bristles. France produces only white or light colored bristles in marketable quantities. India bristles are black in color and very stiff. American bristles are all soft and short, being taken from young hogs. They are not adapted to use in paint or varnish brushes.

Bristle prices were never known to be as high as at present; but this condition can be easily understood when we consider the sources of supply. Before buying your brushes, visit Coburn's and inspect the qualities of the bristles, then compare Coburn prices with those asked elsewhere.

Paint and Varnish Brushes, 7c to \$3.66  
Whitewash Brushes, 22c to \$7.12

C. B. Coburn Co. Free City Motor Delivery  
33 MARKET STREET.

## THE MILITARY COMPANIES

### PREPARING FOR FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION—NOTES FROM THE ARMORY

It was announced this week at the state armory in Westford street that the matter of transporting the troops to Lowell on July 5th for the big military celebration to be held under the auspices of the Second battalion of the Sixth regiment was being taken up by the adjutant-general of the state, and this bill of news was cheerfully received for it means that a large number of out-of-town companies will come here on the above mentioned date.

Major Stevens, marshal of the military division in the parade, has formulated plans by which it is believed the entire Sixth and Eighth regiments will be in attendance and both regiments will come to this city on the Saturday before the celebration and encamp in the vicinity of Lowell. If the state is willing to supply ammunition a sham battle will be staged on the camping grounds.

All the troops will be fed at the expense of the city, the money to be taken out of the appropriation of \$3,000. Cash prizes are to be given to the companies making the best appearance in the line of parade, and the judges will be Lieut. J. R. McGinness and Lieut. Gray, U. S. A., inspector instructors for Massachusetts.

The local companies of the M. V. M. have received notification of the effect that the annual encampment of the Sixth regiment will be held from Aug. 3 to Aug. 15 inclusive, the chances favoring the camp being located at West Barnstable. The Ninth regiment will encamp probably at Rattlesnake or Middleboro from July 18 to 25 inclusive.

The local officers of the Sixth regiment will attend the council of officers which will be held at the armory of Co. I at Concord on Sunday, May 30, in connection with the council dedication exercises will be held at the memorial to the late Col. Cyrus H. Cook at Sleepy Hollow cemetery.

The honor roll of the men who made 30 or over at the indoor shoot contains the name of two Lowell men, Musclun Greely, 91, and Sergt. Dyer, 31, both of Company K.

A short time ago an item appeared in The Sun's military news to the effect that young men were wanted to join the militia and as a result the local companies have recruited as follows: Company M, seven; Company K, two; and Company G and C, one each.

A school for the non-commissioned officers of the Second battalion of this city will be held at the armory Monday evening. The subject will be "War Games."

The members of Company G will hold a smoker at its quarters Thursday evening. An entertainment program will be given and a buffet luncheon will be served.

The Thompson Hardware Co. are agents for the Luther Burbank seeds.

## FOR ASSAULTING LAWYER

### WARRANT AGAINST WATCH AND WARD SOCIETY SECRETARY—QUESTIONABLE VISIT TO HOTEL

BOSTON, May 1.—In a hearing replete with sensational incidents, Rev. J. Frank Chase, secretary of the New England Watch and Ward society, stated on the witness stand yesterday that he had once spent some time in a room of the Castle Square hotel with a woman not his wife, and had drank liquor there.

The avowal was made during a scathing cross examination of Secretary Chase by John P. Feeney, counsel for Atty. John J. Cronin, who charged Mr. Chase with assault and battery.

In a statement made later Secretary Chase said that the woman was an employee of the Watch and Ward society, who accompanied him to the hotel in order to secure evidence of conditions.

This statement was corroborated by President Frederick B. Allen of the society, and the board of directors have announced that they are giving the secretary their strongest support.

After a number of witnesses had testified to seeing Chase assault Atty. Cronin, Judge Thomas Dowd of the police court found probable cause, and ordered that a summons be issued for the appearance of Mr. Chase next Wednesday.

A counter charge, brought by Mr. Chase against Atty. Cronin for slander was taken under advisement by Judge Dowd.

## 52 ACTS OF HEROISM

### AWARDS BY CARNEGIE HERO FUND

#### COMMISSION—FOUR HEROES IN THE DAY STATE

PITTSBURG, May 1.—The Carnegie Hero Fund commission awarded here yesterday 52 acts of heroism in many sections of the country. In two cases gold medals were awarded; in 14 cases silver medals and in 36 bronze medals.

Ten of the heroes lost their lives and to the dependents of four of these persons, aggregating \$2760 a year, were granted; to the dependents of five of the others who lost their lives sums totaling \$3300, to be applied subject to the direction of the commission in various ways, were granted.

In addition to these money grants, in 13 cases sums aggregating \$25,000 were appropriated for educational purposes, payments to be made as needed and approved; and in 20 cases awards aggregating \$20,500 were made to be applied toward the purchase of homes and to other worthy purposes.

The awards to New England heroes and one for a heroic deed at Revere Mass. were as follows:

Lucien Fontaine, Jr., Southbridge, Mass., aged 15; saved Edward Duquette from drowning March 2, 1914.

Joseph A. McCabe, 60 Byron street, East Boston, Mass., aged 14; saved Joseph O. Hyman, Jr. and William R. Baker from drowning, Jan. 15, 1914.

Shirley E. Gardner, Pittsfield, Mass., aged 15; saved 9 year old William H. McNamara from drowning in Housatonic river April 14, 1914.

Daniel F. Moynihan, New York City, aged 25; saved James Franklin Slocum, Augusta Slocum and baby from runaway at Revere, Mass., Jan. 15, 1914.

John M. Brunelle, Ware, Mass., aged 12; saved George E. Wahlau from drowning at Ware July 15, 1914.

The only gold medals awarded were to Charles Zollinger, Frederick, Ok., and Julius B. Gordon of Houston, Tex., who helped save two men from a cave-in, working two hours at imminent risk of another cave-in that would have killed them.

# BRILLIANT DASH BY THE CANADIANS IN FLANDERS

OTTAWA, Ont., May 1.—How the Canadian line was strengthened by important reinforcements of British troops amounting to seven battalions. From this time forward the Canadians also continued to receive further assistance on the left from a series of French counter-attacks pushed in a northeasterly direction from the canal bank.

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"Germans Took British Guns"

"The new line, of which our recent point of contact with the French formed the apex, ran quite roughly to the south and west. As shown above, it became necessary for Brig-General Turner, commanding the third brigade, to throw back his left flank southward to protect his rear. In the course of the confusion which followed upon the readjustment of position, the enemy, which had advanced after his initial successes, took four British 4.7 guns in a small wood to the west of the village of St. Julien, two miles in the rear of the original French trenches."

"The enemy's attack developed with particular intensity upon the apex of the newly formed line running in the direction of St. Julien."

"In the course of the night of the 22d and under the heaviest machine gun fire, the British line, which had been earlier captured by the enemy, was assaulted by the Canadian-Scottish 160th battalion of the third brigade and the tenth battalion of the second brigade, which after a most heroic struggle took the position at the point of the bayonet. At midnight the second battalion of the third brigade, both of the first brigade, brought up much needed reinforcements."

"All through the following days and nights these battalions shared the fortunes and misfortunes of the third brigade. An officer who took part in the attack described how the regiment, which he led, was driven back by the machine guns, which he said played upon them like a water-pistol."

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"It was therefore decided to try to give relief by a counter attack upon the first line of German trenches, now far advanced from those originally occupied by the French. This was carried out by the Ontario first and fourth battalions of the first brigade, under Brig. Gen. Morcor, acting in combination with a British brigade."

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SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.—Three hundred passengers on the steamer Harvard, on route from San Pedro to San Francisco whose lives were in danger, when the vessel was struck by a giant wave that badly damaged the second deck, were congratulating themselves today on their safe return to port. The vessel was blown through the gap opened by the wave and the Harvard was forced to put back to San Pedro.

Several vessels due to arrive yesterday had not put in an appearance early today, having been driven far out to sea by the storm of the last night. The Harvard was the only one of the line to return safely.

The ship was in tow of the steamer Edgar M. Vance, which was forced by the heavy seas to cut loose, leaving the Agzi to battle with the storm.

The steamer Northern Pacific from Astoria to San Francisco, carrying 150 passengers was compelled to leave-

to off Point Arena, both her steam and hand steering gear having been disabled.

She sent a wireless message for a tug to stand by and today was proceeding slowly towards port under easy steering gear.

The steamer Yosemite bound for Portland, Ore., from San Francisco with forty passengers was placed in imminent peril when her steam pipe broke. She succeeded, however, in putting back to San Francisco.

Redondo Beach, a resort in southern California, was damaged to the extent of \$20,000 by waves kicked up by a sixty mile gale.

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Heavy snows in the Sierras and in Nevada did material damage and in eastern Oregon it was reported thirty thousand sheep had been destroyed.

# "DEAD" MAN APPEARS

## Wants Money Judge Awarded to His Sons—Remarkable Story of Wanderings—Lost Fortunes

BOSTON, May 1.—Charles C. Jones, aged 61, told a remarkable story yesterday in the supreme court, when he asked the judge to award him money for the loss of his fortune and the payment of more than \$22,000 to others on the supposition that he had been dead for years.

He now seeks to set aside a decree of Judge Flint of the Norfolk probate court, made in 1901, ordering a distribution of his share, amounting to \$12,754.91, of his mother's estate, to his sons in the proportion by the latter that he had been dead several years.

It also became known that insurance of \$10,000 had been paid to his first wife under the apprehension that he was not living.

He is a son of John Coffin Jones, at one time a large shipping owner, who died in 1881 in Jamaica Plain, leaving a large estate to his wife, Hannah Jones, and her six children.

Charles Jones, the plaintiff, was placed in trust of the trustees being James J. Storrow, father of the well-known broker and financier, for the benefit of the widow.

Misfortunes in Duluth

After the death of his father, Charles went to Duluth in 1889, having \$20,000. He had received as his share of his father's estate. He secured a position in a bank there, married a young woman in 1891 and built a home. In the panic of 1893 the bank failed and he was out of employment.

He worked as a broker for a while and then lost his home by fire and suffered financial losses. Unable to support his wife and two children, they went to live with her mother and he went to Chicago, where he obtained a job in a sawmill and while in that employment lost two fingers on his left hand.

Discouraged, he came to Boston to seek aid from his well-to-do relatives, one sister being the wife of Robert F. Clark, a broker, who was chairman of the board of police for years, and the other a Mrs. Pratt. His wife and children then lived in Syracuse. A brother was in business with Mr. Clark.

The sisters, he alleges, agreed to pay his way to Australia and he sailed for that country, where he became a prospector for gold. He kept up a correspondence with his brother John and wrote several times to his wife, receiving replies from both, but the time came when they ceased to reply.

Lost \$30,000 in Shipwreck

Leaving Australia in 1897, Jones sailed for the Philippine Islands, with \$30,000. The vessel was wrecked and the money was lost. He and some of the crew reached one of the Dutch islands, where they stayed five months, being rescued by a passing vessel and taken to Java.

From Java he went to Siam, where he engaged in prospecting until 1898 or 1899, and then returned to Manila. As one of the Philippine scouts he took part in the war between the United States and Spain and was assigned to a position on the staff of Gen. Chaffee.

With the allied troops he fought in the Boxer rebellion in Peking. Subsequently he went to Siam again and, having read in a newspaper the name of James J. Storrow in connection with an event in New York, he wrote to him and learned that Mr. Storrow, the original trustee of his father's estate, was dead; that his mother was dead, and that his share of her estate had been distributed among his children in the belief that he had died several years before.

Jones did not return to America until 1913 because of lack of funds. In 1908 or 1909, he told the court, he wrote to Robert F. Clark, but could not say whether the letter reached him as he received no reply.

He learned about that time, too, that one of his sons had passed an examination to the military academy at West Point, so he had the American minister at Singapore write to the commander at West Point and the letter was answered.

Contest By One Son

Mrs. Hannah Jones, his mother, died Jan. 5, 1900. In December, 1900, the probate court for Norfolk county ordered the trustees to deposit \$12,754.91, Charles Jones' share of the estate, in the Institution for Savings in Dedham. A year later, on the representations of the sons that they believed their father had been dead for several years, the judge of the probate court ordered a distribution of the \$12,754.91 to the sons as his only heirs.

Their mother had obtained a divorce in 1892 and remarried, her name now being Elizabeth Brown. She received \$10,000 as beneficiary in an insurance policy issued on the life of Jones.

The sons who received the \$12,754.91 which their father now seeks to recover, are Carlos Selby Jones of Ironwood, Mich., and George Herbert Jones of Duluth.

James E. Gardner came here from Duluth to oppose the petition of Jones to upset the probate court decree for distribution. Harry E. Durant appeared with him. Edward F. Sullivan presented the case for the petitioner.

In January, 1914, Jones was married again. He lives in Brighton.

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TAXATION REFORM NEEDED

The question of taxation is a vast and momentous one for Massachusetts and it seems to be admitted on all sides that immediate reform is imperative. On such a question, one cannot expect general agreement on the terms of a reforming law or the need of a possible constitutional amendment, but the state is aroused to the evils of existing systems as never before. Even though Governor Walsh may not be successful in his present efforts for reform, he has done a great service in emphasizing some phases of what many call "the taxation crisis."

Speaking before the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange some weeks ago, Tax Commissioner Trefry said that the present Massachusetts system tends to "general demoralization." He explained that it is the cause of disproportionate taxes on the income of property, of driving large amounts of property into concealment, of promoting the colonization of owners of much property in a few favored towns, of causing capital to migrate from the state, of placing burdens on real estate and of many other evils. Every one of these statements is supported by facts by those who seek legislative reform.

Some typical cases mentioned by the Massachusetts Tax Association in a recent pamphlet on the subject serve to illustrate the faults of the present system. To quote:

"The average tax rate in Massachusetts is nearly \$20 per \$1,000. Assuming that the gross annual income from real estate is 10 per cent. of its value, a \$1,000 house would yield \$100 and pay a \$20 tax, or 20 per cent. of its income. A \$1,000 4 per cent. bond would yield \$40 and pay a \$20 tax or 50 per cent. of its income, which would approximate confiscation."

"How the general property tax affects a typical estate in Massachusetts was recently considered by the state tax department. The typical estate included a piece of real estate in Massachusetts, a mortgage upon real estate outside of Massachusetts, some bonds of the state of New York, shares of stock in the Pennsylvania railroad, some bonds in a trust company in Massachusetts and some bonds of a Maine corporation."

"All of the property was taxable in Massachusetts. In the town which has a \$20 tax rate, 17 per cent. of the income would have been absorbed in taxation in 1914. In the town where the tax rate is \$35, 61 per cent. of the income would have been absorbed in taxation."

The result of the conditions which these instances illustrate is that "almost five billions of taxable personally are not assessed" and that—in the words of Professor Bullock of Harvard—"one hundred millions alone are this year leaving the state for states where the laws are less oppressive." Another evil mentioned more than once by Governor Walsh is the concentration of personal property in a small number of wealthy towns where the rates are low. Tax rates in the cities and towns of Massachusetts run all the way from \$3 to \$26. The states on all sides of us have reformed their taxation systems in recent years, and there is every inducement for manufacturers and property owners to leave Massachusetts. The defects of our system are apparent from the acknowledged fact that it has never been fully enforced. To ignore certain evasions of the law has seemed for years the lesser of two evils.

The support of the measures advocated by Governor Walsh indicates that taxation reform is not now regarded as a partisan measure. Lending men of business, professional and public life have come to the front to support some remedial action at this session of the legislature. Last year a constitutional amendment went through the legislature, and this year some definite plans have been advanced, the success of which would protect Massachusetts and its citizens. In the face of a need which none deny, it is most imperative that our legislators attack this most important question sincerely and intelligently. If taxation reform be neglected, it will surely be one of the leading issues during the next campaign.

A PARALLEL CASE

From time to time The Sun has called attention to the contagious hospital plans of Manchester, N. H., and to similarities between the situation in the New Hampshire city and in Lowell. Without having the state law of Massachusetts as an incentive, some Manchester citizens conceived the idea of agitating such an institution a few years ago. The movement was started with general enthusiasm, but when a site was broached, selfish, personal and political opposition cropped out on all sides, and the city officials took the easier way out of the trouble by doing nothing concerning it. Meanwhile support for the project came from unexpected quarters, and it was also supported by the press.

At last Manchester has done something definite towards the erection of a contagious hospital, though there is still time for further daily-dallying. Last Tuesday the Manchester city council rescinded its former vote to authorize a bond issue of \$150,000 for the building and equipment of a garbage destructor plant, and instead insisted upon an adequate hospital for the care of contagious diseases. The destructor plant was one of the special hobbies of Mayor Spaulding, but with reflection the city council went on record as declaring that the contagious hospital comes first.

Commenting on the situation, the Manchester Leader, which has worked long and consistently for a contagious hospital, says:

Certainly the city is in sad need of an adequate contagious hospital, and it is well that provision has been made for that, even though the action has involved the passing of the garbage destructor plant. This much is undeniable. It is equally obvious that, as an up-to-date city, Manchester needs a modern method of disposing of garbage, and that the destructor plant which Mayor Spaulding had so enthusiastically advocated and arrangements for which he had so assiduously promoted, should be abandoned for the sake of the hospital.

The council has smashed all tradition and established a precedent. In doing the closing days of its existence as a body, by rescinding its former vote to authorize a bond issue of \$150,000 for the building and equipment of a garbage destructor plant, it has established a new and adequate hospital for the care and treatment of contagious diseases. Now, then, let the work of bringing this hospital into tangible being proceed. There is no knowing what hour the city may need the building and the facilities which it will afford. Let us hope that the day of the need is very distant, but, in the meantime, let us prepare for emergencies in the form of epidemics, of the possibility of which we are only too well aware. Thistle the hospital!

This is sound advice which is just as applicable to Lowell as to Manchester. If needed in the northern city, we will have lost a companion city, so far as municipal carelessness and lack of harmony is concerned, but we may be gainers from the object lesson so strongly, if tardily, given.

PRIZE POEMS

A very remarkable contrast is afforded in the study of two so-called "prize poems" on certain phases of the

war, the one published in a student publication of Harvard college, and the other selected in a competition held by the Westminster Gazette. The Harvard poem, which aroused the wrath of Prof. Kuno Meyer, is frankly anti-German, but not a whit more so than the professor is pro-German. The other poem deals with "The Placard," which in all nations gives the official list of the fallen, and though it may not have the structural excellencies of the Harvard poem, the idea is more representative of neutrality. In "The Placard," the writer tells that when he saw the common phrase "Enemy's Terrible Losses"—"In letters of red on white," he was glad, seeing only a great mass of figures that served to hasten the end somewhat. He also tells how when sleep forsook him "in the lowly deep of night," he saw the placard again, and it looked entirely different.

"The thousands stood no longer in printed figures of red— They were heaped in desolate places, who heard their country's call, And went out singing to battle, and now—lay quiet all And afar in steep-ruined cities, the dead, who heard their country's call, Went up the prayers of women who knew not yet of their fall, And voices of other women who wept uncomfited."

CLOTH-TOP SHOES

The vagaries of dress styles are such that in all probability have stopped to consider if there is any reason for the cloth-top shoes which are becoming so common, beyond a desire for a change. That there is a serious economic reason was stated a few days ago by one of the leading shoe manufacturers of the country. This authority said that long before the war, there was a scarcity of hides and skins. When the tariff was taken off hides it was the general expectation that the price of shoes would be reduced, but the contrary was the case, owing to the shortage of leather. He declared that if the duty on leather had been retained, the price of shoes would be a great deal higher. To offset the shortage in the domestic supply, skins have been imported from South America and Australia, but the manufacturers have found it impossible to meet the demand—especially since the beginning of the war. Consequently the cloth-top was availed of in order to conserve the supply, and its immense popularity is a matter for rejoicing.

Lowell Fish and Game Association NOTICE All members are requested to be present at the next meeting, Tuesday, May 4th, at 7:15 p. m. Business of importance. By order of WILLIS S. HOLTS, Secretary.

A Refreshing Drink

When shopping down street and you wish to refresh yourself, have an ice cream or a delicious milk shake at the POLARIS, the two best places in the city. 215 Merrimack st. Old City Hall Bldg. and at Bradley bldg., 112 Central street.

to the shoe manufacturers of the entire country.

FALL RIVER LINE

The New Haven company has definitely announced its intention of selling its steamboat lines, and Fall River is intensely interested, for there is a possibility that the once famous Fall River line may become a thing of the past. For some little while yet, the New Haven railroad will operate the Sound lines; it has asked the Interstate commerce commission for a hearing in order to get permission to do so, but it will undoubtedly sell its interests in water transportation at the earliest opportunity. This change of policy is due partly to the demands of the public and partly to the fact that the New Haven has been unable to make the Fall River line pay. A soundly-organized company in charge of water transportation might develop this and other lines wonderfully, but the New Haven had too many interests outside of railroading proper, with regrettable results. It is to be hoped that when the Fall River line changes hands, it will be to face a new era of prosperity under sound and progressive management.

THE BLESSED RAIN

"Cideridge did not exaggerate when he declared that the rain is 'beloved from pole to pole,' for though we may grumble when we sally out into its slanting lines, with or without umbrella, rubbers, etc., we miss it indeed when the earth thirsts and the growing things grow pale and droop. This year, April almost disappointed us, but, as if to make up for lost time, it gathered all its clouds together at the finish and sent down a veritable deluge. And there was no grumbling, for everybody knew that the grass, shrubs, trees and seeds were waiting for their

Somebody fled about the Dardanells, but time is the best historian.

Be happy! May is here, and so are we.

SEEN AND HEARD

He who can always correctly gauge the current of public opinion will have no trouble in getting into the tide of prosperity.

THE GAME OF LIFE

Mother was spanking little Charlie, Charlie yelled at the first spank, then called, "Mother! Wait! We'll make a game of it. You see how hard you can spank and I'll see how long I can keep from crying!" Mother reported the matter to father that evening, with the comment, "what's the use of punishing a boy who makes a game of whipping?" And father said: "It shows his fine mind! It takes most of us 50 years to learn to take our punishments with philosophy."—Delineator.

BELINDA'S VANITY

Belinda was a colored domestic in the employ of a Mrs. James. Recently a camp meeting was announced to take place in a grove near by, and a few days before the opening Belinda appeared before her mistress looking some concerned. "Iso jes' all up, Miss Jones," began the domestic, "I sho' needs a new pair of slippers befo' dot campmeeting commences, an' I hain't got a cent left in de world." "Perhaps we can fix it, Belinda," benevolently smiled Mrs. Jones. "What size do you want?" "My right foot an' a fo'!" answered Belinda with a vain glance at her feet. "But I has to wear sebena becu' fo's hurt me dot bad dat I kan't jes' hardly walk."—Exchange.

LADY BUG WELCOME

A discovery that the lady bug is the natural enemy of the pest caterpillar has been made by certain observers. They made the discovery some time ago and after careful watching, they now announce it according to a writer in the Fall River News. Their attention was first called to the subject by seeing lady bugs in numbers about their apple trees, where within the past few days the pest caterpillar has just hatched out. As they themselves were to face the caterpillars, they saw that the lady bugs were at the same business, but that besides killing them, the lady bug ate them. At one time, they saw a lady bug seize, kill and eat

April baptism. Down it came in gray sheets, and one could almost see the joy of the parched earth. It was by no means the "gentle rain" of Shakespeare, but it was three welcome nevertheless.

After all, our government is a wonderful institution, whether democrats or republicans be at the helm. It is mighty easy to sit back in the easy chair and groan about the Mexican situation, the shipping complexities, the diplomatic documents, the Chautauqua lectures and all those other things, but Washington is sending out flower seeds to all the states, and yesterday a fish hatchery car was here to stock our ponds. Uncle Sam is pretty thoughtful about the little things, and—come to think of it—he has not made many mistakes of late in great things. Think it over.

It may be a regime of law and order, but some of our citizens are taking mighty queer ways of showing it. If the papers for the past year be compared with those of the past five years, it will be found that we are keeping up our record of breaking and entering, murderous assaults, drunkenness, etc., etc. Calling it a time of peace and holiness does not make it so, unfortunately.

There may be big leagues, small leagues and medium leagues, but no meeting of baseball managers in any part of the country meant more to those concerned than the local meeting between Supr. Kernan and the young hopefuls of the commons. Play ball!

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Be happy! May is here, and so are we.

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placed in a little box, and allowed to stay uncovered where the outside atmosphere will reach it, will indicate very accurately the probable condition of the weather for several hours in advance. When the tobacco becomes very dry and crisp it is safe betting rain will not come for a number of hours. If it is moist and soft, and from twenty-four to thirty-six hours. Should the tobacco seem tough or not dry and not very crisp to the touch, the rain is near at hand. If the rain does not come it will be found upon careful investigation that showers were not many miles away, and the atmosphere was moist on account of the low barometric condition which usually causes precipitation. Even ordinary tobacco leaves which are simply allowed to dry out, though they will accurately foretell the weather so far as rain or damp, cloudy weather, or clear fair weather, devoid of rainfall. In many tobacco-producing sections of the world, the weather is foretold by the tobacco sign, which they consider more accurate than any kind of barometer can secure. Sailors have learned to rely on the tobacco index when out at sea and, although there is plenty of water at hand to make moisture, when there is bright weather the tobacco will be dry and crisp to the touch, and it only requires a mere running of the fingers through the small pieces to show an experienced sailor what kind of weather to expect.

TIME'S IRONY

I. This man, they said, "was false, for he loved many—"

Rather, seemed to love yet loved not any."

They loved but one and knew no need of more."

Wherefore when this man came they closed the door."

They loved the things which they could call their own, pipes, books, to love through usage grown."

Beauty was his desire, and his delight— Beauty of sun by day, of stars by night, Beauty of tone and color, curve and motion."

Whether in laughing maid or angry ocean, Beauty of souls serene and sweet and strong— He knew no other proof right and wrong."

This was his crime—he came at Beauty's call; Where each man loved his own, he loved them all."

II. 'Twas long ago and he lies fast asleep with those who judged him, in their Maker's keep."

From the good honest seed of their same lives Spring other multitudes of lords and wives."

From his existence nothing with us remains Of kith or kin or any worldly gains."

Only some lawless songs young lovers cherish. Strange! Time saves these and lets us have no more, since spring is here."

—F. P. in St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Dr. Sullivan, of Lawrence, was kept away last night by the storm—Social Enjoyed in St. Peter's Parish.

An enjoyable smoke talk was given under the auspices of the Holy Name society of St. Peter's church last night, the affair being held in the parochial school hall. The attendance was large, and although the speaker of the evening, Dr. M. F. Sullivan, of Lawrence, was unable to be present, a most enjoyable evening was spent.

Refreshments were served and a delightful entertainment program consisting of the following numbers, was carried out to the satisfaction of all: Thomas A. Scanlon, piano selections; Patrick McGarrett, songs; John A. Quinn, songs; James Downey, songs; James J. Kelly, songs. The entertainment was presided over by the following: Edward Guilman, chairman; Benjamin Riley, John A. Watson and Bernard Ward.

At the regular meeting of the Women's Missionary society of the Holy Name society of St. Peter's church the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. W. A. Chase, president; Mrs. J. J. Smith, vice president; Mrs. A. J. Brown, secretary and treasurer. The retiring president, Mrs. M. J. Hatch, was president a beautiful punch bowl.

REPORT OF BIRTHS

April 1—To Mr. and Mrs. James J. Dronney of 12 Westcott street, a son.

2—To Mr. and Mrs. John T. Fay of 119 Fayette street, a daughter.

3—To Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius J. Sullivan of 44 Corbett street, a son.

4—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Flanagan of 15 Fernald street, a daughter.

5—To Mr. and Mrs. Mary L. Lavery of 115 Wilbur street, a daughter.

6—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Maher of 18 Pollard street, a son.

7—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Connelly of 48 June street, a daughter.

8—To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Emerson of 311 Larch street, a daughter.

9—To Mr. and Mrs. Henri Langes of 115 M. Washington street, a son.

10—To Mr. and Mrs. Mabel Jean of 115 M. Washington street, a daughter.

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16—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Peabody of 837 Chelmsford street, a son.

17—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Muldoon of 15 Chapel street, a son.

18—To Mr. and Mrs. Thos. J. Savers of 779 Westford street, a daughter.

19—To Mr. and Mrs. Felix Pulchowski of 30 Stackpole street, a son.

20—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Monson of 40 Walker street, a son.

21—To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Desjardins of 171 Hall street, a son.

22—To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Reusdski of 201 Middlesex street, a son.

23—To Mr. and Mrs. Hilgott Synal of 1 Brown's court, a son.

24—To Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gradalski of 17 Lakeview avenue, a son.

25—To Mr. and Mrs. Adam Zdanovic of 50 Charles street, a daughter.

26—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lopez of 12 Angulo street, a son.

27—To Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah F. Leary of 39 Pleasant street, a son.

28—To Mr. and Mrs. Maciej Chorlont of 33 Lakeview avenue, a son.

29—To Mr. and Mrs. William F. Murphy of 14 Whipple street, a son.

30—To Mr. and Mrs. Prosper Simenau of 100 Staples street, a daughter.

31—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Albert of 1150 Walker street, a daughter.

32—To Mr. and Mrs. Stanis Polilika of 14 Auburn street, a daughter.

33—To Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cordellier of 21 Beaulieu street, a son.

34—To Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Harzert of 92 Dunster street, a daughter.

35—To Mr. and Mrs. William F. Murphy of 71 Agawam street, a daughter.

36—To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Murphy of 151 Crosby street, a daughter.

37—To Mr. and Mrs. George Cummings of 168 Crawford street, a daughter.

38—To Mr. and Mrs. Onesime Rochette of 179 Perkins street, a daughter.

39—To Mr. and Mrs. Mahall Bekiaz of 10 Howe street, a daughter.

40—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Jasrab of 257 Lakeview avenue, a daughter.

41—To Mr. and Mrs. Homere Frechette of 13 Common street, a daughter.

42—To Mr. and Mrs. Ignas Worels of 141 East Merrimack street, a daughter.

43—To Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly of 78 Bridge street, a daughter.

44—To Mr. and Mrs. James Kelly of 16 Cross street, a daughter.

45—To Mr. and Mrs. Christof Ramonaski of 9 Grand street, a daughter.

46—To Mr. and Mrs. Clayton B. Stoddard of 1281 Middlesex street, a daughter.

47—To Mr. and Mrs. James Mulligan of 538 Central street, a daughter.

48—To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tibbels of 4 Goward's court, a daughter.

49—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Deschene of 64 Austin street, a daughter.

50—To Mr. and Mrs. Austin Liddy of 161 Cross street, a daughter.

51—To Mr. and Mrs. Adelard St. Cyr of 31 Ash street, a daughter.

52—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry St. Cyr of 16 Cross street, a daughter.

53—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stott of 9 Cedar street, a son.

54—To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred S. Cady of 10 Dover street, a son.

55—To Mr. and Mrs. William Galvin of 25 Lawrence street, a daughter.

56—To Mr. and Mrs. Giuseppe Nelli of 225 Gorham street, a daughter.

57—To Mr. and Mrs. Sterling B. Crosby of 141 Grand street, a son.

58—To Mr. and Mrs. Omer Paineaud of 53 Bolvers street, a daughter.

59—To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Sullivan of 133 Warren street, a son.

60—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Celentouris of 215 Salem street, a daughter.

61—To Mr. and Mrs. James Heathcote of 379 Bridge street, a daughter.



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28—To Mr. and Mrs. James P. Johnson of 20 Stackpole street, a son.

29—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Celentouris of 215 Salem street, a daughter.

30—To Mr. and Mrs. George Frechette of 14 Carolyn street, a daughter.

IN MILADY'S BOUDOIR

BY GWEN SEARS

SPRINGTIME RENOVATION

In the spring time we dash around from shop to shop selecting our new hats and gowns—but do we ever give our complexion a moment's consideration or spend a nickel for its improvement?

Many of the modish colors this season are admittedly difficult to wear by the average woman. Take sand and mauve for example, can you imagine a more sorrowful combination than those on a woman with a sallow or dull complexion? And the quaint Dolly Varden frocks, fancy a woman thus clad, with a flourishing crop of wrinkles, start from within.

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# SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

## REMOVE OLD LANDMARK

One of Lowell's Oldest Buildings to be Replaced by New Structure—Other Real Estate News

The building at the corner of Worthen and Moody streets, one of the oldest in the city and a well known landmark, is now being torn down to make room for a larger and more modern structure.

The house in question was once the property of the Merrimack Manufacturing Co. and was in all probability erected by the authorities of that corporation in its earliest days. It is said to have been a corporation house in which dwelt those in authority in the plant. Some time ago the property was sold to Mrs. Emily of West Newbury, Mass., and J. W. Goodwin, a prominent Haverhill business man, is in control.

In tearing down the building, the workmen had opportunity of studying the methods of construction followed many years ago and experienced no little difficulty, in many cases, in removing the timbers. The building is very solidly constructed, the beams and supporting timbers being very large, and of hard, heavy wood. Strength and durability were evident throughout. All of the timbers were in good condition, apparently, and had not been injured by the elements beyond their outward appearance.

It is believed to be the intention of those in control to erect a single story building of brick, up-to-date in structure and to be used mainly for store purposes. Mr. C. Malas, who conducts a store in the next building on Moody street, stated that he will occupy the corner site when the new building is completed. Employees in the store of Mr. Malas said that it is the intention of the owners of the property to remove the store now occupied by Mr. Malas, when the latter has entered his new quarters, and extend the new building a considerable distance or build another of similar structure.

Soon a building that is doubtless one of Lowell's oldest landmarks will no longer be an obstacle in the path of progress, and if reports are true and the plans are carried out, its site will be occupied by a larger and more modern building. No definite word regarding the plans of those in control would be issued by those in the office of Mr. Goodwin in Haverhill, though there was no denial of the report that a single story building is to be erected as soon as the old corporation property has been completely demolished.

The building activity in Lowell, as indicated by the number of permits taken out at city hall during the past week, continues encouragingly large. The permits numbered more than 25 and represented quite a large expenditure for new buildings and remodeling of present structures. A number of new dwellings and several garages are to be constructed.

Several property owners are enlarging their houses, which now accommodate one or two families, into houses of from three to six apartments.

Among the many new dwellings to be erected is one of five rooms, pantry and bath which will be built for Josie E. Monroe at Rosemont Terrace, 115 Alma street, at a cost of \$300.

A single apartment dwelling is to be built for Joseph C. McGraw in the rear of 114 School street.

A new plaza is to be built on the Lowell Corporation hospital to replace the old one. The plaza will be a large, roomy affair, suitable for the needs of the hospital and will cost in the neighborhood of \$1000.

John R. Nelson is building a large dwelling at the corner of Amherst and Parker streets. The house will have eight rooms and bath and will be heated by a steam plant. It will be 32 by 35 feet in size and 2½ stories in height. The cost will be \$2500.

A seven room, steam heated house is to be constructed at the corner of Parker and East Merrimack streets for Harriett R. Cole. The house will be 2½ stories in height and will cost approximately \$2000.

Royal K. Dexter is building a new garage at the corner of Coral and Branch streets, the building to be constructed mainly of wood with a concrete foundation.

Thomas W. Cryer is erecting a new dwelling at 155 Parkview avenue, of 7 rooms, pantry, bath and reception hall and all modern conveniences. The cost will be \$4000.

A three apartment dwelling is to be built at 35 Bourne street for George Underwood at a cost of \$3000.

Emily Lannaro of 51 Mt. Grove street is changing over a small barn to be used as a store. The work includes interior alterations and finish, a new store front and other changes, and will cost \$40.

Charles H. Lapoint is building a new house at 139 Humphrey street at a cost of \$2100.

Additions and alterations are being made on the barn at 51 Pawtucket street in the work of remodeling the structure for a dwelling. The interior will be finely finished. The remodeling will cost \$700.

Helen M. Casson of 721 Merrimack street is adding four new rooms to each of the floors of her house by the erection of a large addition adjoining the rear of the building. The addition will cost in the neighborhood of \$1500.

Thomas J. Clark is building new piazzas on the front and side of his property at 32 East street and remodeling the entrances.

The stable of Prentiss Webster is to be remodelled for use as a garage. The building will be fireproofed to conform to the law regarding garages.

Azma Kallil is building a new piazza and stairway on the dwelling at 159 Fletcher street.

The single tenement dwelling of Annie D. O'Connell located at 50 Water street is to be made over to accommodate two families. The cost of the extensive altering and finishing will be about \$1200.

A sleeping porch is to be constructed over the front piazza of the house of William H. Hard at 243 Gibson street.

Israel Namis is changing over the front of his store at 110 Chelmsford street. Two small stores will be combined to make one large one and will have a new plate glass front.

An addition is being built on the west side of the Lowell General hospital to be used as a sun room. Its cost is estimated at \$1000.

The garage of Addie R. Merrill at 465 Bridge street is undergoing enlargement and remodeling and general improvements.

Emile Bahas is constructing a new store front on his property at 172-176 Lakeview avenue.

Gertrude P. Burnham is having a shed at 150 Andover street rebuilt for storage purposes.

Armand C. Sicard is having extensive alterations made on his property at 722 Moody street.

The two story building of Mary E. Tarsou at 143 Lakeview avenue is to be made into one of three stories by squaring up the roof.

Sales by Hyam

Hyam Bros. real estate brokers with offices at 91 Central street, report the following sales for the week ending April 30, 1915:

Papers have been passed conveying title to a cottage property in the Highlands section. It has long been the home of Louis M. Doak until recently. This is situated at 51 Howland street near its junction with Blodgett street. This property has been purchased by an out-of-town party. The grantor is Louis M. Doak, now living at 400 Westford street.

Papers have been passed on the sale of a suburban property located in North Chelmsford. The estate was effected for Mr. and Mrs. John LeMaitre, and the purchaser is Maria W. Dunning. Together with the realty is sold the entire list of stock and personal property.

Papers have been passed on the transfer of a building lot in the Highlands situated on Highland avenue. The area conveyed amounts approximately to 6000 square feet. The purchasers are at the present time erecting a modern house upon the lot which will receive its finishing touches during the latter part of July. The sale was effected for Laura E. and Joseph Langstaff and the purchasers are Frank G. Hillman and Charles Cummings.

Again through this office title has been given to Walter and Lena Bliss of a suburban home property. This is situated on Barrett hill in South Chelmsford. The sale was negotiated for Mrs. F. A. Adams.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending April 30

### LOWELL

Percy Parker et ux to Katherine Tucke et al, land.

Sarah A. Smith et al to Charles M. Dickey, land and buildings on Powell and B streets.

Elizcar H. Choquette et ux to Arthur G. Leveille et ux, land on Mt. Washington street.

Lowell Realty Co. by trs. to Louis N. Freney et al, land corner Bellevue and Hillside streets.

Emilie H. Whitney et al to Maria Gregg, land and buildings on Fort Hill street.

Thomas J. Phelps et ux to Joseph G. West et ux, land and buildings on Shaw street.

James Wood et ux to George A. T. Brodie et ux, land on Maple street.

Fred W. Wood et al trs. to Charles Runnels et ux, land on Harland avenue.

Patrick J. Riley by mortgage to David Ziskind et al, land on Tanner street.

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John Keenan et ux to Frank O. Palmgren, land and buildings on Crosby street.

George A. Willey et ux to Cora E. Welch, land and buildings on road from W. B. Coburn's to Nashua road.

Albert C. Smith et ux to Hugh Ferguson, land corner Acorn and Courtland streets.

James Buckley et ux to Kirkor Ananian, land on Lawrence street.

BILLERICA

James E. Burke tr. to Hilda C. Eklund, land at Pinehurst Manor.

Patrick J. Kelly to Grace E. Wilson, land and buildings at Nuttings Lake Park annex.

Mary Catherine Harrington, land by exor. et al, Dolphus J. Joy, land on River View avenue.

Mahlon E. Brando et ux to Marshall B. Smith, land on Allen road.

Robert H. Jones et ux to Timothy Pasho et ux, land and buildings corner Rockway road and Preston street.

James E. Burke tr. to Cornelius E. McNulty, land.

Michael J. McNulty to George A. McNulty, land.

George F. Parkhurst et al to Levi T. Steves, land on King and Bartlett streets.

John L. Marline, Jr. et ux to Maria W. Dunning, land and buildings on Dunstable and Nashua roads.

DRACUT

Peter Levesque to Alphonse Levesque, land on Eastland road.

Warren W. Fox to Clinton Coffin, land on Greenmont avenue.

Edgar C. Linn et ux. to Franz A. Grab et al, land on Pride's Crossing.

Henry F. Peabody est. by exor. to William Henry Peabody, land on road from Methuen to Pelham, N. H.

George B. Coburn et ux. to Annie E. Joy, land on Varnum avenue.

William H. Lavelle et ux. to William W. Lewis et ux, land corner road to Pelham and Old town road.

Mary Manning et al. to John Boisvert, land and buildings at Merrimac Park.

Fred C. Tobey Land Co. by trs. to Haridas Daigle et al, land at Collins Park.

DUNSTABLE

Origen D. Kimball et ux. to George T. Pampelly, land and buildings on High and Tewkesbury streets.

Grace V. Nickerson to Minnie H. Keohler, land on Willow street.

Sarah L. Seaver et al. to Harry L. Shedd, land.

Lawrence E. Lynch et ux. to Oliver F. Marion, land on Pond street.

Sergine Fagan to Emily Riley, land and buildings on Foster street.

Susan M. Robbins et al. to May I. Newman, land on Lake street.

TYNGBORO

Cleophas Loranger et ux. to Clara B. Epier, land and buildings corner Lakeview avenue and Stoke street.

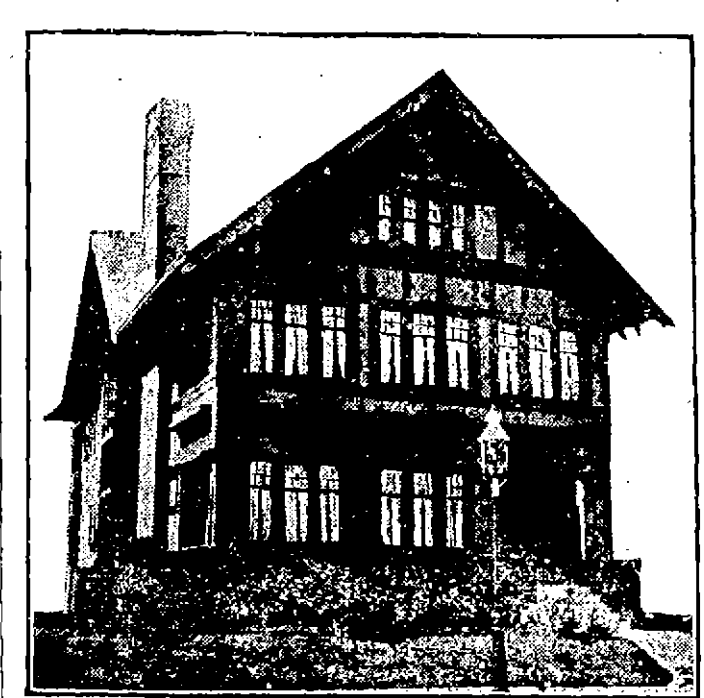
George Bowers et al. to Hattie A. Sherman, land on Chester avenue.

Ada Ferguson et al. to Annie Ferguson, land on Bowers avenue.

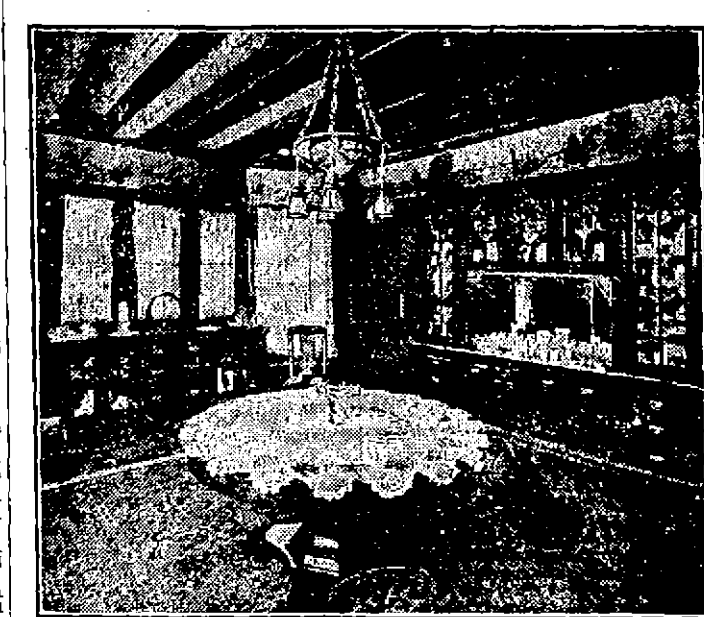
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## VENEER AND HALF TIMBER DUPLEX



PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH



INTERIOR VIEW—DINING ROOM

A good example of brick veneer with half timber. The interior view shows a dining room connected with the living room by an archway. Buffet built in the bay, with French windows above it. Sideboard with china closet on each side and above, making a very roomy place for the display of china and cut glass. The size of this duplex is 36 feet wide and 60 feet deep, exclusive of sun parlors and sleeping porch. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, \$11,000.

Rogers, land at The Pines.

James E. Burke tr. to William E. Cheeseman, land at Pinehurst Manor.

James E. Burke tr. to Agnes E. Monahan, land at The Pines.

Naon Adams, land on Elm street.

Knudsen, land on Elm street.

WILMINGTON

Henry H. Hinckley et ux. to Laura E. Littlefield et al, land and buildings on Burrish street.

George F. Tolkins et ux. to George E. Lang, land and buildings corner Clark street and Middlesex avenue.

Wilmington Methodist Episcopal church, land and buildings corner Forest and Thurston avenues.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Herbert Kempton, land at Fairview Park.

J. Arthur Surrette et ux. to Paul Brabant, land and buildings on Cottage street.

Mary E. Coghlan, et al. to Martha E. Martinson, land at Pinegrove Park.

Union Ice company, Inc., Boston, to May I. Newman, land on Grove avenue and Cottage street.

Robert J. Jones et al. to Georgina E. McInnis, land on Williams avenue.

Robert J. Jones et al. to Frederick R. Willard, land on Jones avenue.

HALF CURTAINS OF SILK

Ecru pongee, inexpensive and always available, is a charming material for sash curtains, either long, or else confined to the lower half of the window. The 32 inch width is the best for this purpose, as it allows for a generous hem at either edge. The best finish is a hemstitched hem, and the work is not very great. Sometimes they are edged at the sides and bottom with a gathered ruffle, sewed on with a facing as much and a half wide. This demands hand work but the result repays it. Sometimes curtains of this sort are made in two sections, on attached to the top of the window frame and reaching to the sash, the other pair beginning at the sash and reaching to the sill. This enables one to admit plenty of light from the top of the window, while the lower set secure desired privacy.

Sometimes these curtains are made of white wash silk, and the tendency to yellow with washing which makes such silk objectionable for personal use is of little consequence, as the creamy tint harmonizes better with most furnishings.

One solution of the difficulty of the poorly lighted hall is to cover the walls with a paper having a rather large conventional design in color on a white ground, using a plain silk in the same color for half curtains. Once the eye becomes accustomed to seeing the windows of a single house treated in different ways, the advantage of so doing will be realized. How often the effect of a large room furnished with a certain solidity and in dark colors is diminished by the use of this curtain having no possible relation to the scheme of the room, but though essential to the uniformity of the outward aspect of the house—Keith's Magazine.

In an interview with a Sun representative who visited the plant yesterday, Mr. Cogger, while engaged in the work of directing the operations and inspecting the different parts of the apparatus, explained the working of the lowering of the cost of the concrete material by the use of this machinery. The inspection was most interesting and the contractors will now have a more efficient and less expensive source of supply of concrete material for jobs of every description.

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## OPENS BIG PLANT

Patrick Cogger Equipped to Supply Fine Concrete Material

A live new industry of large proportions and with a promising future has been added to the number of those already established in Lowell and is now busily operating. The new plant is the property of Patrick Cogger, the truckman, who has purchased a large parcel of land on the outskirts of the city and built pockets and installed machinery for the preparation of concrete material.

For the past 20 years or more, Mr. Cogger, who resides at 435 Riverside street, has conducted an extensive trucking and sand business and his efforts have met with gratifying success. Mr. Cogger saw an opening for

the women's page of The Sun will be printed on Monday. The illustrations of the fashions and descriptions of the new styles and other reading will interest every woman reader. Health and beauty hints will be found in "What Horriense Told me." This article, among other things, will tell how to reduce and how to overcome sleeplessness.

Various household hints of a helpful nature will be found in "What the Cook Says" and it will give new methods for cooking.

"Hands" will be the topic of "In Lillady's Boudoir." "The French Maid" will describe a camellia and its making. The little story, "The Fairy Prince" will delight the children.

TESTING CONCRETE MATERIAL

Comparative tests of trap rock and furnace slag as aggregate for concrete were recently made by Prof. H. Perrine, of Columbia university. The tests consisted of making compression tests on 3-inch cylinders of concrete, mixed one part cement, 2 parts sand and 4 parts of either Pallasades trap rock or slag furnished by the National Slag company. The rock was separated into 3-4-inch, 1-2-inch, 1-4-inch and "dust," and then artificially recombined so that the grading was identical with that of the cylinders which was used as received. The materials were proportioned by volume and mixed in a Byestone batch mixer.

When the cylinders were 28 days old they were tested to rupture. The trap concrete showed ultimate strength of 1,550 to 2,000 lbs. per square inch, averaging 1,875.5 lbs.; while slag concrete showed 2,375 to 2,750 lbs., with an average of 2,465.5 lbs. The former weighed on the average 134.5 lbs. per cubic foot, and the latter 140.5 lbs.

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